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Chapter I

Organizational matters

A. Membership

1. Pursuant to General Assembly resolution 43/222 B, the Committee on Conferences in 2016 was composed of the following Member States: Austria, Bahrain, the Central African Republic, France, Germany, Ghana, Hungary, Iran (Islamic Republic of), Jamaica, Japan, Liberia, Mauritania, Namibia, Paraguay, Qatar, the Russian Federation, Sri Lanka, the United Republic of Tanzania and the United States of America.[1]

B. Officers

2. At its organizational session for 2016 (541st meeting), held on 25 April 2016, and at the opening of the substantive session (542nd meeting), held on 6 September 2016, the Committee elected the following officers to serve in 2016:

Chair:

Katalin Annamária **Bogyay** (Hungary)

Vice-Chairs:

Hayfa Ali Ahmed **Matar** (Bahrain)
Aba **Ayebi-Arthur** (Ghana)
Carolyn **Strainic** (United States of America)

[1] Two seats from the Latin American and Caribbean States have remained vacant since the seventieth session of the General Assembly (see A/70/107 and A/AC.172/2016/INF/1).

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3. Also at its organizational session, the Committee agreed in principle that the Chair would undertake informal consultations with a view to determining the composition of its Bureau for 2017 and that the outgoing Chair and members of the Bureau would continue in their capacity until the 2017 Bureau was elected.

C. Organization of work

4. At its organizational session, the Committee agreed to follow the guidelines adopted in 1994 and 1995 with regard to its consideration of intersessional departures from the approved calendar of conferences and meetings and to meet, as required, to review proposals affecting the schedule of conferences and meetings during sessions of the General Assembly.

5. At the same session, the Committee reviewed the proposed strategic framework for the period 2018-2019, programme 1, General Assembly and Economic and Social Council affairs and conference management (A/71/6 (Prog. 1)). The Under-Secretary-General for General Assembly and Conference Management addressed the Committee and introduced the proposed strategic framework. Representatives of the Secretariat answered questions raised by the delegations of Austria, France, Paraguay, the Russian Federation, the United Republic of Tanzania and the United States of America. The recommendations of the Committee were transmitted in a letter dated 19 May 2016 from the Chair of the Committee on Conferences to the Chair of the Committee for Programme and Coordination and were included in a conference room paper on the review of part two: biennial programme plan, by sectoral, functional and regional bodies of the proposed strategic framework for the period 2018-2019 (see E/AC.51/2016/CRP.1/Rev.1, annex).

6. The Committee held its substantive session from 6 to 13 September 2016 (542nd to ___th meetings). At the opening of the substantive session, on 6 September, the Under-Secretary-General introduced the report of the Secretary-General on the pattern of conferences (A/71/116). During the formal meetings, statements were made by the representatives of Austria, France, Japan, the Russian Federation, the United Republic of Tanzania and the United States of America.

D. Programme of work

7. At its organizational session for 2015 (536th meeting), held on 22 April 2015, the Committee requested that the Secretariat submit the provisional agenda for 2016 to the Committee at its organizational session for 2016. At its organizational session for 2016 (541st meeting), held on 25 April 2016, the Committee adopted the provisional agenda (A/AC.172/2016/L.1) and requested that the Secretariat submit a provisional agenda for 2017 to the Committee at its organizational session for 2017. A revised agenda for 2016 was adopted at the 542nd meeting, held on 6 September 2016 (A/AC.172/2016/1/Rev.1). The Committee also decided to include in its programme of work for the year, prior to the Committee's substantive session or upon request, informal briefings by the Secretariat on issues of interest to Member States relating to conference management.

E. Participation of observers

8. One Member State, Germany, and one intergovernmental organization, the European Union, were represented as observers at the organizational session of the Committee. Three Member States, namely, Cuba, Israel and Kenya, were represented as observers at the substantive session.

Chapter II

Calendar of conferences and meetings

A. Adoption of the draft revised calendar of conferences and meetings for 2017

9. At its 542nd meeting, on 6 September 2016, the Committee reviewed and adopted the draft revised calendar of conferences and meetings of the United Nations for 2017 (A/AC.172/2016/L.2).

Discussion

10. In response to a proposal by a delegation that the second part of the resumed session of the Fifth Committee should be extended to allow it more time to complete its work, another delegation said that the failure of an intergovernmental body to conclude its negotiations in the allotted time did not justify amending the calendar of conferences and that the scheduling of additional meetings would have financial implications. An observer delegation said that such amendments must take into account the mandates and reporting arrangements of the bodies concerned. A representative of the Secretariat said that the Committee on Conferences had no mandate to recommend changing the session dates of other bodies without consulting them. Such changes would stretch the human resource and logistical capacity of the Department for General Assembly and Conference Management.

B. Requests for exceptions to section I, paragraph 7, of General Assembly resolution 40/243

11. At its 542nd meeting, on 6 September 2016, the Committee considered the sections of the report of the Secretary-General on the pattern of conferences (A/71/116, sect. II.A.2, and supplementary information,[2] sect. I.A) containing requests for exceptions to section I, paragraph 7, of General Assembly resolution 40/243, by which the Assembly decided that no subsidiary organ of the Assembly might meet at United Nations Headquarters during a regular session of the Assembly unless explicitly authorized by the Assembly.

Conclusions and recommendations

12. The Committee recommended that the General Assembly explicitly authorize the following bodies to meet in New York during the main part of its seventy-first session, on the understanding that all such meetings would be allocated conference services on an "as available" basis, in such a way that the work of the Assembly and its Main Committees would not be impeded:

(a) Committee on Relations with the Host Country;

(b) Committee on the Exercise of the Inalienable Rights of the Palestinian People;

[2] See http://coc.dgacm.org/2016/Documents/2016_Supplementary_Information.pdf.

(c) **Executive Board of the United Nations Children's Fund;**

(d) **United Nations System Chief Executives Board for Coordination;**

(e) **Panel of External Auditors of the United Nations, the Specialized Agencies and the International Atomic Energy Agency;**

(f) **Board of Auditors;**

(g) **Independent Audit Advisory Committee;**

(h) **United Nations Appeals Tribunal;**

(i) **Committee on Conferences.**

C. Intersessional departures

13. The General Assembly, in its resolution 70/9, approved the draft biennial calendar of conferences and meetings of the United Nations for 2016 and 2017, as submitted by the Committee, and authorized the Committee to make any adjustments that might become necessary as a result of actions and decisions taken by the Assembly at its seventieth session. The calendar was issued as A/AC.172/2016/2 and Corr.1.

14. The Committee approved the following requests:

(a) Request from the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions to extend the duration of one of the meetings of its fall session of 2015 outside regular meeting hours;

(b) Request from the Advisory Committee to extend the duration of three of its meetings during its winter session outside regular meeting hours;

(c) Requests from the Advisory Board on Disarmament Matters to convene its sixty-fifth and sixty-seventh sessions, from 27 to 29 January 2016, and from 25 to 27 January 2017, in Geneva rather than New York;

(d) Request from the Commission on the Status of Women for an additional meeting during its sixtieth session;

(e) Request from the Chairs of the human rights treaty bodies to change the venue of their twenty-eighth annual meeting, in May and June 2016, from Geneva to New York;

(f) Request from the Working Group on Arbitrary Detention to change the venue of its seventy-fifth session, in April 2016, from Geneva to New York;

(g) Request from the Special Committee on the Situation with regard to the Implementation of the Declaration on the Granting of Independence to Colonial Countries and Peoples to convene one additional meeting to adopt two outstanding draft resolutions and conclude its resumed session for 2016.

Chapter III
Meetings management

A. Analysis of utilization of conference-servicing resources and facilities

15. At its 542nd meeting, on 6 September 2016, the Committee on Conferences considered the section of the report of the Secretary-General on the pattern of conferences containing an analysis of the utilization of conference-servicing resources by United Nations organs (A/71/116, paras. 12-19, 77 and 80 (b), and supplementary information,[2] sect. II).

16. The Committee also heard a report by the Chair on the consultations held with the intergovernmental bodies whose utilization rate had fallen below the 80 per cent benchmark over the past three years, namely, the Committee on Information, the Second Committee and the Executive Board of the United Nations Children's Fund. As a result of those efforts, the Chair of the Committee on Information had agreed to recommend that its need for formal meetings should be reviewed and had acknowledged the importance of beginning meetings on time in order to improve the utilization rate. The staff of the Secretariat supporting the Second Committee received training in conference-servicing policies and its Secretary would coordinate the scheduling of its closing meeting with the Meetings Management Section. The Executive Board of the United Nations Children's Fund had achieved a utilization rate of 90 per cent at its June 2016 session by reducing the number of its meetings and would further improve its efficiency in the light of past utilization patterns.

B. Provision of interpretation services to meetings of bodies entitled to meet "as required"

17. At the same meeting, the Committee considered the section of the report of the Secretary-General on the pattern of conferences concerning the provision of interpretation services to meetings of bodies entitled to meet "as required" (A/71/116, paras. 20 and 73, and supplementary information,[2] sect. III).

C. Provision of interpretation services to meetings of regional and other major groupings of Member States

18. Also at the same meeting, the Committee considered the section of the report of the Secretary-General on the pattern of conferences concerning the provision of interpretation services to meetings of regional and other major groups of Member States (A/71/116, paras. 21-23, and supplementary information,[2] sect. IV).

D. Meetings held away from established headquarters

19. Also at its 542nd meeting, the Committee considered the section of the report of the Secretary-General on the pattern of conferences concerning meetings held away from established headquarters (A/71/116, paras. 24-26).

E. Utilization of conference facilities at the United Nations Office at Nairobi

20. At the same meeting, the Committee considered the section of the report of the Secretary-General on the pattern of conferences concerning the utilization of conference facilities at the United Nations Office at Nairobi (A/71/116, para. 27).

F. Utilization of the conference centre at the Economic Commission for Africa

21. Also at the same meeting, the Committee considered the section of the report of the Secretary-General on the pattern of conferences concerning the utilization of the conference centre at the Economic Commission for Africa (A/71/116, annex). The Committee decided that the matter would remain under its consideration.

Discussion

22. In response to a question from a delegation, a representative of the Department for General Assembly and Conference Management stated that the Department was not responsible for the financial and human resources and operations of conference services at the regional commissions, but shared information on conference management policy with them.

G. Summary records, verbatim records and digital recordings

23. Also at its 542nd meeting, the Committee considered the section of the report of the Secretary-General on the pattern of conferences concerning summary records, verbatim records and digital recordings (A/71/116, paras. 29-30).

Chapter IV
Documents management

24. At its 542nd meeting, on 6 September 2016, the Committee on Conferences considered the sections of the report of the Secretary-General on the pattern of conferences concerning matters related to documents management (see A/71/116, paras. 31-42, 74, 78 and 80 (c) and (d), and supplementary information,[2] sects. VI and VII B and C).

Discussion

25. A delegation sought information regarding external factors leading to the recurrent late submission of documents by author departments and measures for improving their compliance with the deadlines for submitting slotted documents. A representative of the Secretariat said that reasons provided by author departments for late submission included the need for reports to reflect recent developments, the need to include information from back-to-back sessions, delays in the submission of inputs from Member States, challenges in coordinating inputs from various author entities, the increased number of mandated reports and a shortage of human resources with which to produce them, the need for more time to clarify highly technical and financial information and the need to conduct consultations on politically sensitive matters. Compliance with the submission deadlines had improved over the years as a result of the inclusion of 90 per cent submission compliance as a performance indicator in the annual compacts between senior managers and the Secretary-General, the inclusion of the status of documentation as a standing item on the agenda of the Management Committee and the work of the interdepartmental task force on documentation. The Department for General Assembly and Conference Management worked closely with author departments, including by sending document service reports to intergovernmental bodies as a way of identifying room for improvement.

26. A delegation expressed concern that word limits were being imposed on submissions from Member States. Representatives of the Secretariat explained that word limits applied only to reports originating in the Secretariat. Member States were invited to follow guidelines on the length of submissions in order to enable the Department to produce workload forecasts for capacity planning purposes and process documents in a timely manner.

27. A delegation asked what had been done to apply common standards for the quality control of documents processed by external translators, pursuant to General Assembly resolution 70/9. A representative of the Secretariat said that in New York all documents translated externally were now subject to quality control. The tools used by in-house translators, in particular the eLUNa computer-assisted translation system, had been made available to external translators in order to enhance quality, accuracy, consistency and the use of official terminology.

28. In response to questions from a delegation, a representative of the Secretariat said that the global terminology portal UNTERM was actively used by staff, delegates and the public and was the official repository of United Nations terminology. The Department was working with United Nations agencies and international organizations to add their terminology resources to the portal.

Chapter V

Leveraging technology to increase efficiency

29. At its 543rd meeting, on 6 September 2016, the Committee considered the section of the report of the Secretary-General on the pattern of conferences concerning leveraging technology to increase efficiency (A/71/116, paras. 44-49 and 74).

Chapter VI
Staffing

30. At its 543rd meeting, on 6 September 2016, the Committee considered the sections of the report of the Secretary-General on the pattern of conferences concerning matters relating to staffing (A/71/116, paras. 50-64 and 75-76, and supplementary information,[2] sect. VIII).

Discussion

31. A delegation requested information on the results of the in-house training programmes conducted in New York for potential Arabic and French interpreters. A representative of the Secretariat said that a number of trainees had already passed the language competitive examination or freelance test for interpreters. Similar programmes could be arranged for potential recruits to the other interpretation booths, as necessary.

32. A delegation sought clarification concerning the basis for the upgrading of 11 language posts at the United Nations Office at Nairobi. A representative of the Secretariat explained that the posts had been upgraded to meet Member State requests for the Secretary-General to provide appropriate quality control for the work of external translators and to respect the principle of equal grade for equal work across duty stations.

33. Delegations commended the Department for General Assembly and Conference Management on its efforts to recruit language professionals from underrepresented regions, but expressed concern about the consequences of waiving the requirement for candidates to have at least three official languages. Representatives of the Department explained that the requirement remained in place for the Arabic, English, French and Russian services. Chinese translators had not been required to have three languages for some time. Candidates with only two languages had been allowed to sit the 2016 language competitive examination for Spanish translators as a temporary measure to diversify the contingent of language staff. Half of the 5,000 candidates had been from Latin American and Caribbean States. The initiative was expected to increase the representation of Latin American varieties of Spanish within the Spanish translation unit and fill all vacant posts.

34. In response to a question from a delegation, a representative of the Department said that only one university in Latin America had signed a memorandum of understanding with the United Nations, as most did not meet the requirements. However, the Department had increased its outreach to universities in Latin America and the Caribbean and was planning to offer remote internships to translation students in the region.

35. A delegation sought information regarding the outposting of French translators from New York to Vienna. A representative of the Secretariat explained that two French translators had been outposted in August 2016, a third would follow in November 2016 and two posts would be filled with successful candidates from the language competitive examination.

Chapter VII
Improvement of facilities and accessibility

36. At its 543rd meeting, on 6 September 2016, the Committee considered the section of the report of the Secretary-General on the pattern of conferences concerning the improvement of facilities and accessibility (A/71/116, paras. 65-67 and 79).

37. A delegation drew attention to recent General Assembly mandates relating to the accessibility of conference facilities to persons with disabilities. A representative of the Secretariat said that the Secretary-General would submit to the Third Committee at the seventy-first session of the General Assembly a report on the status of accessibility of facilities and services at the United Nations, including those improvements in accessibility achieved through the capital master plan, as a result of which the facilities in New York met or exceeded host-country standards.

38. Sign-language interpretation was provided under the regular budget only to the Committee on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities and of the sessions of the Conference of the States parties to the Convention on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities. Otherwise, extrabudgetary resources were required to provide accessible services. The Department for General Assembly and Conference Management planned to harmonize the recruitment of sign-language interpreters across the duty stations.

39. Hearing and visually impaired persons could borrow equipment from the Accessibility Centre in New York, which was opened in 2013. The Republic of Korea had funded the equipment for the Centre and its maintenance, as well as the training of its staff. Thanks to a generous upgrade of the equipment provided by the Government of the Republic of Korea in 2016, an array of new devices are now available to the users of the Centre. Delegates, United Nations staff and visitors needing assistive devices can benefit from this donation. The Department invited all other Member States to provide similar donations to expand accessibility services at all duty stations.

Chapter VIII
Quality of conference services

40. At its 543rd meeting, on 6 September 2016, the Committee considered the section of the report of the Secretary-General on the pattern of conferences concerning the quality of conference services (A/71/116, paras. 68-72, and supplementary information,[2] sect. VII.A).

Chapter IX
Organization of work

41. At its 543rd meeting, on 6 September 2016, the Committee considered the procedures for the participation of observers in the work of the Committee, pursuant to section II.A, paragraph 20, of General Assembly resolution 57/283 B, and agreed to keep them under continued review.

Annex I

Draft resolution

[To be inserted]

Annex II

Draft revised calendar of conferences and meetings of the United Nations and of the principal organs of the specialized agencies, the International Atomic Energy Agency and treaty bodies established under the auspices of the United Nations for 2017

The following abbreviations are used in the present annex:

In the column headed "Organ"

ECA	Economic Commission for Africa
ECE	Economic Commission for Europe
ECLAC	Economic Commission for Latin America and the Caribbean
ESCAP	Economic and Social Commission for Asia and the Pacific
ESCWA	Economic and Social Commission for Western Asia
FAO	Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations
IAEA	International Atomic Energy Agency
ICAO	International Civil Aviation Organization
ICSC	International Civil Service Commission
IFAD	International Fund for Agricultural Development
ILO	International Labour Organization
IMF	International Monetary Fund
IMO	International Maritime Organization
ITU	International Telecommunication Union
UNCCD	United Nations Convention to Combat Desertification in Those Countries Experiencing Serious Drought and/or Desertification, Particularly in Africa
UNCITRAL	United Nations Commission on International Trade Law
UNCTAD	United Nations Conference on Trade and Development
UNDP	United Nations Development Programme
UNEP	United Nations Environment Programme
UNESCO	United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization
UNFCCC	United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change
UNFPA	United Nations Population Fund
UN-Habitat	United Nations Human Settlements Programme
UNHCR	Office of the United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees

UNICEF	United Nations Children's Fund
UNIDO	United Nations Industrial Development Organization
UNITAR	United Nations Institute for Training and Research
UNOPS	United Nations Office for Project Services
UNRWA	United Nations Relief and Works Agency for Palestine Refugees in the Near East
UNU	United Nations University
UN-Women	United Nations Entity for Gender Equality and the Empowerment of Women
UNWTO	World Tourism Organization
UPU	Universal Postal Union
WFP	World Food Programme
WHO	World Health Organization
WIPO	World Intellectual Property Organization
WMO	World Meteorological Organization

In the column headed "Membership"

G	Governments
E	Experts
ST	Secretariat or secretariats

In the column headed "Servicing"

I	Interpretation
T	Translation
PV	Verbatim records
SR	Summary records
RW	Report writing
A	Arabic
C	Chinese
E	English
F	French
R	Russian
S	Spanish

A. Draft calendar of conferences and meetings of the United Nations, 2017

(as at 8 September 2016)

	Organ	Mandate	Meeting title/ session number	Dates (2017)	Location	Membership	Servicing[a]			Periodicity
1.	UN-Women, Executive Board[b]	General Assembly resolution 64/289	Election of the Bureau	9 January	New York	41 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	–	One meeting per year
2.	UNICEF, Executive Board	Economic and Social Council decision 2011/215	Election of Bureau	10 January (1 meeting)	New York	36 G	I (ACEFRS)	T[b]	–	One meeting per year
3.	Military Staff Committee	Charter		13 January, once every fortnight thereafter	New York	5 G	I (CEFR)	T	PV	Every second Friday
4.	Executive Board of UNDP/UNFPA/UNOPS	General Assembly resolutions 2029 (XX), 48/162 and 65/176 and Economic and Social Council decision 2007/221	Election of Bureau	16 January	New York	36 G	I (ACEFRS)	T[b]	–	One meeting per year
5.	United Nations Forum on Forests, working group	Economic and Social Council resolutions 2000/35, 2006/49 and 2015/33 and Economic and Social Council decision 2011/249		16-20 January	New York	196 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	–	One session of five days in 2017 only
6.	United Nations Forum on Forests	Economic and Social Council resolutions 2000/35, 2006/49 and 2015/33 and Economic and Social Council decision 2011/249	Special session	16 and 20 January	New York	196 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	–	One session in 2017 only
7.	Working Group on Reimbursement of Contingent-Owned Equipment[b]	General Assembly resolution 59/298		16-27 January	New York	192-193 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	–	One session every three years
8.	Committee on the Rights of the Child[c]	General Assembly resolutions 44/25, 47/112, 49/211 and 68/268	Seventy-fourth session	16 January-3 February	Geneva	18 E	I (EFS)[d]	T	SR	Three sessions per year

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9.	Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions	General Assembly resolutions 14 (I), 173 (II), 32/103 and 64/243	Winter session	16 January-28 April[e]	New York	16 F	I (ACEFRS)	T	–	Three sessions per year
10.	Disarmament Commission	General Assembly resolution S-10/2	Organizational session	17 January	New York	193 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	PV	One session per year
11.	Committee for the United Nations Population Award	General Assembly resolution 36/201	Organizational meeting	18 January	New York	10 G	I (EFS)	T	–	One session per year
12.	UNEP, Committee of Permanent Representatives	General Assembly resolution 2997 (XXVII), UNEP Governing Council decision 19/32	137th meeting	19 January	Nairobi	/	I (ACEFRS)	–	RW[g]	Four meetings per year
13.	Human Rights Council, Working Group on Situations	Human Rights Council resolution 5/1	Nineteenth session	23-27 January	Geneva	5 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	–	Two sessions per year
14.	United Nations Voluntary Fund for Indigenous Populations, Board of Trustees	General Assembly resolution 40/131	Thirtieth session	23-27 January	Geneva	5 E	I (EFRS)	T	–	One session per year
15.	Working Group on Discrimination against Women in Law and in Practice	Human Rights Council resolutions 15/23, 23/7 and 32/4	Eighteenth session	23-27 January	New York	5 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	–	Three sessions per year, two in Geneva, one in New York (mandate extended until 2019)
16.	Conference on Disarmament	General Assembly resolutions 1722 (XVI), S-10/2 and 34/83 L	First part	23 January-31 March	Geneva	61 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	PV	One session in three parts per year
17.	Advisory Board on Disarmament Matters	General Assembly resolutions 37/99 K and 54/418	Sixty-seventh session	25-27 January	Geneva	15 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	–	Two sessions per year
18.	Economic and Social Council	Charter, General Assembly resolution 68/1, annex, para. 24 and Economic and Social Council resolution 2017/1 para. (b)	Youth forum	30-31 January	New York	54 G	I (ACEFRS)			

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19.	Executive Board of UNDP/UNFPA/UNOPS	General Assembly resolutions 2029 (XX), 48/162 and 65/176	First regular session	30 January-3 February	New York	36 G	I (ACEFRS)	T[b]	–	Three sessions per year
20.	International Narcotics Control Board[c]	Single Convention on Narcotic Drugs of 1961, article 11	118th session	30 January-3 February	Vienna	13 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	–	Three sessions per year
21.	Committee on Non-Governmental Organizations	Economic and Social Council resolutions 3 (II) and 1296 (XLIV) and decisions 1995/304 and 1997/297	Regular session	30 January-8 February and 21 February	New York	19 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	–	One session per year
22.	Committee on the Peaceful Uses of Outer Space, Scientific and Technical Subcommittee	General Assembly resolutions 1472 A (XIV) and 69/85, and decision 70/518	Fifty-fourth session	30 January-10 February	Vienna	83 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	–	One session per year
23.	Human Rights Council, Working Group on Enforced and Involuntary Disappearances	Commission on Human Rights resolution 20 (XXXVI) and Human Rights Council resolutions 7/12 and 27/1	111th session	30 January-3 March	Geneva	5 E	I (AEFS)	T	–	Three sessions per year (mandate extended until 2017)
24.	Commission on the Limits of the Continental Shelf[c]	Annex II, article 2 (5), of the United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea, General Assembly resolution 67/78	Forty-third session	30 January-17 March[h]	New York	21 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	–	Three sessions per year
25.	Commission for Social Development	Economic and Social Council resolutions 10 (II), 1139 (XLI) and 1996/7	Fifty-fifth session	1-10 February	New York	46 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	–	One session per year
26.	Executive Boards of UNDP/UNFPA/UNOPS, UNICEF, WFP and UN-Women	General Assembly resolutions 52/12 B and 65/176	Joint meeting of the Executive Boards of UNDP/UNFPA/ UNOPS, UNICEF, WFP and UN-Women	6 February	New York	36 G/41 G	I (ACEFRS)	T[b]	–	
27.	Investments Committee	General Assembly resolution 248 (III)	232nd meeting	6 February	New York	11-12 E	–	–	–	Four or five meetings per year

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28.	Committee on the Rights of the Child, pre-sessional working group[c]	General Assembly resolutions 44/25, 47/112, 49/211 and 68/268	Seventy-sixth session	6-10 February	Geneva	18 E	I (EFS)[d]	T	–	Three sessions per year
29.	UNCITRAL, Working Group II (Dispute Settlement)	General Assembly resolution 33/92	Sixty-sixth session	6-10 February	New York	60 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	–	Two sessions per year
30.	United Nations Voluntary Fund for Victims of Torture, Board of Trustees	General Assembly resolution 36/151	Forty-fifth session	6-10 February	Geneva	5 E	I (EFS)	T	–	Two sessions per year
31.	Committee on the Elimination of Discrimination against Women, Working Group on Communications under the Optional Protocol to the Convention[c]	General Assembly resolutions 55/70, 62/218 and 68/268	Thirty-seventh session	7-10 February	Geneva	5 E	I (EFS)[d]	T	–	Three sessions per year for a total of 10 working days
32.	UNICEF, Executive Board	General Assembly resolutions 48/162 and 57 (I)	First regular session	7-10 February	New York	36 G	I (ACEFRS)	T[b]	–	Three sessions per year
33.	UN-Women, Executive Board[b]	General Assembly resolution 64/289	First regular session	13-14 February (To be confirmed)	New York	41 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	–	Three sessions per year
34.	Committee against Torture, Subcommittee on Prevention of Torture and Other Cruel, Inhuman or Degrading Treatment or Punishment[c]	Part I, article 2, of the Optional Protocol to the Convention against Torture and Other Cruel, Inhuman or Degrading Treatment or Punishment and report of the Human Rights Council (A/61/53) and General Assembly resolution 68/268	Thirty-first session	13-17 February	Geneva	25 E	I (EFS)[d]	T	SR	Three sessions per year
35.	Human Rights Council, Working Group on the issue of human rights and transnational corporations and other business enterprises	Human Rights Council resolutions 17/4 and 26/22	Sixteenth session	13-17 February	Geneva	5 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	–	Three sessions per year (mandate extended until 2017)

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36.	UNCITRAL, Working Group VI (Security Interests)	General Assembly resolution 33/92	Thirty-first session	13-17 February	New York	60 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	–	Two sessions per year
37.	Committee on the Elimination of Discrimination against Women[c]	General Assembly resolutions 34/180, 62/218 and 68/268	Sixty-sixth session	13 February-3 March	Geneva	23 E	I (EFS)[d]	T	SR	Three sessions per year
38.	Independent Audit Advisory Committee	General Assembly resolution 61/275	Thirty-seventh session	15-17 February	New York	5 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	–	Four sessions per year
39.	Committee on Economic, Social and Cultural Rights[c]	Economic and Social Council resolutions 1982/33, 1985/17 and 2012/29 and General Assembly resolution 68/268	Sixtieth session	20-24 February	Geneva	18 E	I (EFS)[d]	T	SR	Three sessions per year
40.	Group of Governmental Experts on Developments in the Field of Information and Telecommunications in the Context of International Security	General Assembly resolutions 61/54, 65/41, 68/243 and 70/237	Third session	20-24 February	Geneva	25 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	–	Total of four one-week meetings in 2016 and 2017 only
41.	Human Rights Council Advisory Committee	Human Rights Council resolution 5/1	Eighteenth session	20-24 February	Geneva	18 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	Two sessions per year
42.	Special Committee on Peacekeeping Operations and its Working Group	General Assembly resolution 2006 (XIX)	Substantive session	21 February-17 March	New York	144 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	–	
43.	Special Committee on the Situation with regard to the Implementation of the Declaration on the Granting of Independence to Colonial Countries and Peoples	General Assembly resolution 1654 (XVI)	First part	23 February and 22 March	New York	28 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR'	
44.	Committee on Economic, Social and Cultural Rights, pre-sessional working group[c]	Economic and Social Council resolutions 1982/33, 1985/17 and 2012/29 and General Assembly resolution 68/268	Sixtieth session	27 February-3 March	Geneva	5 E	I (EFS)[d]	T	–	Two sessions per year

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45.	Human Rights Committee, pre-sessional Working Group on Communications[c]	General Assembly resolutions 2200 A (XXI) and 68/268	119th session	27 February-3 March	Geneva	9 E	I (EFS)[d]	T	–	Three sessions per year
46.	Human Rights Council	General Assembly resolution 60/251	Thirty-fourth session	27 February-24 March	Geneva	47 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	No fewer than three sessions per year, of a total duration of no less than 10 weeks
47.	Economic and Social Council	Charter, General Assembly resolution 68/1, annex, para. 11 (a) and Economic and Social Council resolution 2017/1 para. (c)	Substantive session, Operational activities for development segment	28 February-2 March	New York	54 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	
48.	WFP, Executive Board[b]	Economic and Social Council decision 1995/227 and General Assembly resolution 50/8	First regular session	February	Rome	36 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	–	Three sessions per year
49.	Committee on the Elimination of Discrimination against Women, pre-sessional working group[c]	General Assembly resolutions 45/124, 47/94, 62/218 and 68/268	Sixty-eighth session	6-10 March	Geneva	4 E	I (EFS)[d]	T	–	Three sessions per year
50.	Committee on Enforced Disappearances[c]	General Assembly resolutions 61/177 and 68/268	Twelfth session	6-17 March	Geneva	10 E	I (EFS)[d]	T	SR	Two sessions per year
51.	Human Rights Committee[c]	General Assembly resolutions 2200 A (XXI) and 68/268	119th session	6-29 March	Geneva	18 E	I (EFS)[d]	T	SR	Three sessions per year
52.	Statistical Commission	Economic and Social Council resolution 1999/8 and Economic and Social Council decision 2016/220	Forty-eighth session	7-10 March	New York	24 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	–	One session per year
53.	Commission on Narcotic Drugs	Economic and Social Council resolutions 9 (I) and 1991/39	Sixtieth session	13-17 March	Vienna	53 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	–	One session per year

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54.	Committee on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities, pre-sessional working group[c]	General Assembly resolutions 67/160 and 68/268	Seventh session	13-17 March	Geneva	6 E	I (EFS)[d]	T	–	Two sessions per year
55.	Group of Governmental Experts on the Operation and Further Development of the United Nations Standardized Instrument for Reporting on Military Expenditures	General Assembly resolution 68/23	Second session	13-17 March	Geneva	15 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	–	Total of three one-week meetings during 2016 and 2017
56.	Human Rights Council, Working Group on the use of mercenaries as a means of violating human rights and impeding the exercise of the right of peoples to self-determination	Human Rights Council resolution 7/21	Thirtieth session	13-17 March	Geneva	5 E	I (AERS)	T	–	Three sessions per year, two in Geneva, one in New York
57.	Commission on the Status of Women	Economic and Social Council resolution 11 (II) and decision 1999/257	Sixty-first session	13-24 March	New York	45 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	–	One session per year
58.	Committee for the United Nations Population Award	General Assembly resolution 36/201	First regular meeting	14 March	New York	10 G	I (EFS)	T	–	One session per year
59.	UNEP, Committee of Permanent Representatives	General Assembly resolutions 2997 (XXVII), UNEP Governing Council decision 19/32	138th meeting	14 March	Nairobi	/	I (ACEFRS)	–	RW[g]	Four meetings per year
60.	Committee for Development Policy	Economic and Social Council resolution 1998/46	Nineteenth session	20-24 March	New York	24 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	–	One session per year

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61.	Conference of the Parties to the United Nations Convention against Transnational Organized Crime, Open-ended intergovernmental meeting to explore all options regarding an appropriate and effective review mechanism for the United Nations Convention against Transnational Organized Crime and the Protocols thereto	General Assembly resolution 55/255 and Conference of the States Parties resolution 7/1	Third session	20-24 March (To be confirmed)	Vienna	186 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	–	
62.	ICSC	General Assembly resolution 3357 (XXIX)	Eighty-fourth session	20-31 March	New York	15 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	–	Two sessions per year
63.	Committee on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities[c]	General Assembly resolutions 61/106, 66/229 and 68/268 and article 34 of the Convention on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities	Seventeenth session	20 March-10 April	Geneva	18 E	I (EFS)[d]	T	SR	Two sessions per year
64.	Committee on the Peaceful Uses of Outer Space, Legal Subcommittee	General Assembly resolutions 1472 (XIV) and 69/85, and decision 70/518	Fifty-sixth session	27 March-7 April	Vienna	83 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	–	One session per year
65.	ECA	Economic and Social Council resolution 671 (XXV)	Tenth Joint Annual Meetings of the African Union Conference of Ministers of Economy and Finance and the ECA Conference of African Ministers of Finance, Planning and Economic Development	March	Addis Ababa	53 G	I (AEF)	T	–	One session per year

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66.	General Assembly, Fifth Committee	Charter	First resumed session	March (4 weeks)	New York	193 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	
67.	UN-Habitat, Committee of Permanent Representatives	General Assembly resolution 56/206	Sixty-fourth meeting	March	Nairobi	/	I (ACEFRS)	–	RW[g]	Four meetings per year
68.	Preparatory Committee established by General Assembly resolution 69/292, entitled "Development of an international legally binding instrument under the United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea on the conservation and sustainable use of marine biological diversity of areas beyond national jurisdiction"	General Assembly resolution 69/292	Third session	March/April	New York	193 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	–	Total of two sessions, of 10 working days duration each, in 2016 and 2017
69.	Commission on Population and Development	Economic and Social Council resolutions 150 (VII), 87 (LVII) and 1995/55	Fiftieth session	3-7 April	New York	47 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	–	One session per year
70.	Governing Council of UN-Habitat	Economic and Social Council resolution 1978/1 and General Assembly resolution 56/206	Twenty-sixth session	3-7 April	Nairobi	58 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	RW[g]	One session every two years
71.	Human Rights Council, Working Group of Experts on People of African Descent	Commission on Human Rights resolution 2002/68 and Human Rights Council resolutions 9/14 and 27/25	Twentieth session	3-7 April	Geneva	5 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	–	Two sessions per year (mandate extended until 2017)
72.	Disarmament Commission	General Assembly resolution S-10/2	Annual session	3-21 April[r]	New York	193 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	PV	One session per year

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73.	Economic and Social Council	Charter, General Assembly resolution 68/1, annex, para. 24 and Economic and Social Council resolution 2017/1 para. (d)	Partnership forum	5 April	New York	54 G	I (ACEFRS)			
74.	Human Rights Council, Working Group on Communications	Human Rights Council resolution 5/1	Twentieth session	10-14 April[e]	Geneva	5 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	–	Two sessions per year
75.	Committee on the Protection of the Rights of All Migrant Workers and Members of Their Families[c]	General Assembly resolutions 45/158 and 68/268	Twenty-sixth session	10-21 April[e]	Geneva	14 E	I (EFS)[d]	T	SR	Two sessions per year
76.	Committee for the United Nations Population Award	General Assembly resolution 36/201	Second regular meeting	11 April	New York	10 G	I (EFS)	T	–	One session per year
77.	Committee against Torture[c]	General Assembly resolutions 39/46, 65/204 and 68/268	Sixtieth session	17 April-12 May[b]	Geneva	10 E	I (EFS)[d]	T	SR	Three sessions per year
78.	Independent Audit Advisory Committee	General Assembly resolution 61/275	Thirty-eighth session	19-21 April	New York	5 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	–	Four sessions per year
79.	Committee for Programme and Coordination	Economic and Social Council resolution 2008 (LX) and General Assembly resolution 31/93	Organizational session	20 April	New York	34 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	–	One session per year
80.	Security Council, Governing Council of the United Nations Compensation Commission, established pursuant to Security Council resolution 692 (1991)[b]	Security Council resolution 692 (1991)		24 April	Geneva	15 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	Up to four sessions for a total of 12 working days per year
81.	Voluntary Fund for Technical Cooperation in the Field of Human Rights, Board of Trustees	Economic and Social Council decision 1993/283	Forty-fourth session	24-26 April	Geneva	5 E	I (EFS)	T	–	Two sessions per year

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82.	Committee of Experts on Public Administration	Economic and Social Council resolutions 2001/45 and 2003/60 and decision 2012/252	Sixteenth session	24-28 April	New York	24 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	–	One session per year
83.	UNCITRAL, Working Group IV (Electronic Commerce)	General Assembly resolution 33/92	Fifty-fifth session	24-28 April	New York	60 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	–	One session per year
84.	Ad Hoc Committee of the Human Rights Council on the Elaboration of Complementary Standards in the Field of Racism	Human Rights Council decision 3/103 and resolution 6/21	Ninth session	24 April-5 May	Geneva	To be determined	I (ACEFRS)	T	–	One session per year
85.	Committee on Information	General Assembly resolution 33/115 C	Thirty-ninth session	24 April-5 May	New York	114 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	–	One session per year
86.	Permanent Forum on Indigenous Issues	Economic and Social Council resolution 2000/22	Sixteenth session	24 April-5 May	New York	16 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	–	One session per year
87.	Committee on the Elimination of Racial Discrimination[c]	General Assembly resolutions 2106 A (XX) and 68/268	Ninety-second session	24 April-12 May[b]	Geneva	18 E	I (EFS)[d]	T	SR	Three sessions per year
88.	ECE	Economic and Social Council resolutions 36 (IV) and 2006/38	Sixty-seventh session	25-27 April	Geneva	56 G	I (EFR)	T	–	One session every two years
89.	Economic and Social Council	Charter, General Assembly resolution 68/1, annex, para. 11 (d) and Economic and Social Council resolution 2017/1, para. (a)	Substantive session, Coordination and management meetings	26-28 April	New York	54 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	
90.	Committee on Conferences	General Assembly resolution 43/222 B	Organizational session	April[e] (1 meeting)	New York	21 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	–	
91.	United Nations System Chief Executives Board for Coordination	Economic and Social Council decision 2001/321	First regular session	April[e]	To be determined	26 ST	I (EF)	T	–	Two sessions per year

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92.	Economic and Social Council	General Assembly resolutions 69/313 and 70/248 and Economic and Social Council resolution 2017/1, para. (l)	Annual Economic and Social Council forum on financing for development follow-up	April/May[a,k] (To be confirmed)	New York	54 G	I (ACEFRS)	T		One session per year (5 days or 10 meetings, of which two meetings will be the special high-level meeting with the Bretton Woods institutions, World Trade Organization and United Nations Conference on Trade and Development)
93.	Economic and Social Council	Charter, General Assembly resolution 68/1, annex, para. 13	Special high-level meetings of the Council with the World Bank, the International Monetary Fund, the World Trade Organization and the United Nations Conference on Trade and Development	April/May[a,k] (To be confirmed)	New York	54 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR[l]	
94.	Economic and Social Council	Economic and Social Council resolution 2013/24 and Economic and Social Council resolution 2017/1 para. (k)	Special meeting of the Economic and Social Council to consider international cooperation in tax matters	April/May[a,k] (To be confirmed)	New York	54 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	
95.	United Nations Staff Pension Committee	General Assembly resolution 248 (III)		April/May[a,k] (1 meeting)	New York	12 E	–	–	–	Two sessions of one meeting each per year

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96.	Human Rights Council, open-ended Working Group on the Right to Development	Commission on Human Rights resolution 1998/72; Economic and Social Council decision 1998/269; General Assembly resolution 41/128 and Human Rights Council resolutions 9/3 and 24/4	Eighteenth session	1-5 May	Geneva	193 G	I (ACEFRS)	T		One session per year
97.	UNCTAD, Investment, Enterprise and Development Commission	Part IV, section B, of the Accra Accord, adopted at the twelfth session of UNCTAD, held in Accra from 20 to 25 April 2008	Ninth session	1-5 May	Geneva	194 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	–	One session per year
98.	UNCITRAL, Working Group I (Micro-, Small- and Medium-sized Enterprises)	General Assembly resolution 33/92	Twenty-eighth session	1-9 May	New York	60 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	–	Two sessions per year
99.	Human Rights Council, Working Group on the Universal Periodic Review	General Assembly resolution 60/251 and Human Rights Council decisions 1/103 and 31/116 and resolution 5/1	Twenty-seventh session	1-12 May[k]	Geneva	47 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	–	Three sessions per year
100.	International Law Commission	General Assembly resolution 174 (II)	Sixty-ninth session, first part	1 May-2 June[k]	Geneva	34 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	One session per year
101.	Preparatory Committee for the 2020 Review Conference of the States Parties to the Treaty on the Non-Proliferation of Nuclear Weapons[b,c]	General Assembly resolution 70/28	First session	2-12 May[k]	Vienna	190 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	
102.	Economic and Social Council	Charter, General Assembly resolution 68/1, annex, para. 11 (e) and Economic and Social Council resolution 2017/1, para. (e)	Substantive session, Integration segment	8-10 May	New York	54 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	

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103.	International Coordinating Committee of National Institutions for the Promotion and Protection of Human Rights	Commission on Human Rights resolution 1994/54	Thirtieth annual meeting	8-10 May	Geneva	92 G	I (EFS)	T	–	One session per year
104.	Commission on Science and Technology for Development	General Assembly resolution 46/235 and Economic and Social Council resolutions 2002/37 and 2006/46 and decision 2003/291	Twentieth session	8-12 May[b]	Geneva	43 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	–	One session per year
105.	Human Rights Council, Working Group on the issue of human rights and transnational corporations and other business enterprises	Human Rights Council resolutions 17/4 and 26/22	Seventeenth session	8-12 May[b]	Geneva	5 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	–	Three sessions per year (mandate extended until 2017)
106.	Human Rights Council, Working Group on Enforced and Involuntary Disappearances	Commission on Human Rights resolution 20 (XXXVI) and Human Rights Council resolutions 7/12 and 27/1	112th session	8-17 May[b]	Geneva	5 E	I (AEFS)	T	–	Three sessions per year (mandate extended until 2017)
107.	UNFCCC, meetings of subsidiary bodies of the Conference of the Parties to the Convention[c]	General Assembly resolution 48/189	Forty-fourth session	8-18 May[b]	Bonn, Germany	189 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	–	One session per year
108.	Conference of the Parties to the United Nations Convention against Transnational Organized Crime, Working Group on Firearms[c]	General Assembly resolution 55/255	Fifth session	9-10 May	Vienna	112 G	I (ACEFRS)	T		One session per year
109.	UNCITRAL, Working Group V (Insolvency Law)	General Assembly resolution 33/92	Fifty-first session	10-19 May[b]	New York	60 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	–	Two sessions per year

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110.	Economic and Social Council	General Assembly resolutions 69/313 and 70/248 and Economic and Social Council resolution 2017/1, para. (f)	Multi-stakeholder forum on science, technology and innovation for the sustainable development goals	15-16 May	New York	25 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	–	One session per year (two days)
111.	Human Rights Council, open-ended intergovernmental working group on the rights of peasants and other people working in rural areas	Human Rights Council resolutions 21/19 and 26/26	Fourth session	15-19 May	Geneva	193 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	–	One session per year
112.	UNCTAD, Trade and Development Commission	Part IV, section B, of the Accra Accord, adopted at the twelfth session of UNCTAD, held in Accra from 20 to 25 April 2008	Ninth session	15-19 May	Geneva	194 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	–	One session per year
113.	Working Group on Discrimination against Women in Law and in Practice	Human Rights Council resolutions 15/23, 23/7 and 32/4	Nineteenth session	15-19 May (To be confirmed)	Geneva	5 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	–	Three sessions per year, two in Geneva, one in New York (mandate extended until 2019)
114.	International Narcotics Control Board[c]	Single Convention on Narcotic Drugs of 1961, article 11	119th session	15-26 May	Vienna	13 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	–	Three sessions per year
115.	Committee on the Rights of the Child[c]	General Assembly resolutions 44/25, 47/112, 49/211 and 68/268	Seventy-fifth session	15 May-2 June	Geneva	18 E	I (EFS)[d]	T	SR	Three sessions per year
116.	Conference on Disarmament	General Assembly resolutions 1722 (XVI), S-10/2 and 34/83 L	Second part	15 May-30 June	Geneva	61 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	PV	One session in three parts per year
117.	Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions	General Assembly resolutions 14 (I), 173 (II), 32/103 and 64/243	Spring session	15 May-28 July	New York	16 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	–	Three sessions per year

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118.	Commission on Crime Prevention and Criminal Justice	Economic and Social Council resolution 1992/1	Twenty-sixth session	22-26 May	Vienna	40 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	–	One session per year
119.	United Nations Forum on Forests	Economic and Social Council resolutions 2000/35, 2006/49 and 2015/33 and Economic and Social Council decision 2011/249	Twelfth session	22-26 May (To be confirmed)	New York	196 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	–	One session per year from 2017 up to 2030
120.	ESCAP	Economic and Social Council resolutions 37 (IV), 69 (V) and 723 B (XXVIII)	Seventy-fourth session	22-26 May	Bangkok	53 G	I (CEFR)	T	–	One session per year
121.	Open-ended intergovernmental working group to consider the possibility of elaborating an international regulatory framework on the regulation, monitoring and oversight of the activities of private military and security companies	Human Rights Council resolutions 15/26, 22/33 and 28/7	Sixth session	22-26 May	Geneva	193 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	–	One session per year
122.	Committee on Non-Governmental Organizations	Economic and Social Council resolutions 3 (II) and 1296 (XLIV) and decisions 1995/304 and 1997/297	Resumed session	22-31 May and 12 June	New York	19 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	–	One session per year
123.	United Nations Scientific Committee on the Effects of Atomic Radiation	General Assembly resolution 913 (X)	Sixty-fourth session	29 May-2 June	Vienna	27 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	–	One session per year
124.	Committee on Economic, Social and Cultural Rights[c]	Economic and Social Council resolutions 1982/33, 1985/17 and 2012/29 and General Assembly resolution 68/268	Sixty-first session	29 May-23 June	Geneva	18 E	I (EFS)[d]	T	SR	Three sessions per year

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125.	Committee of Experts on International Cooperation in Tax Matters	Economic and Social Council resolutions 1273 (XLIII), 1765 (LIV) and 2004/69, and General Assembly resolutions 69/313 and 70/248	Fourteenth session	May[b]	New York	25 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	–	Two sessions per year (four working days each)
126.	General Assembly, Fifth Committee	Charter	Second resumed session	May[b] (4 weeks)	New York	193 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	
127.	Investments Committee	General Assembly resolution 248 (III)	233rd meeting	May[b]	New York	11-12 E	–	–	–	Four or five meetings per year
128.	Special Committee on the Situation with regard to the Implementation of the Declaration on the Granting of Independence to Colonial Countries and Peoples	General Assembly resolution 65/119	Regional seminar to review the situation in Non-Self-Governing Territories under the Third International Decade for the Eradication of Colonialism	May[b] (3 days)	Caribbean region	29 G	I (EFS)	T	–	One session per year
129.	WFP, Executive Board[b]	Economic and Social Council decision 1995/227 and General Assembly resolution 50/8	Annual session	May[b]	Rome	36 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	–	Three sessions per year
130.	Committee on the Rights of the Child, pre-sessional working group[c]	General Assembly resolutions 44/25, 47/112, 49/211 and 68/268	Seventy-seventh session	5-9 June	Geneva	18 E	I (EFS)[d]	T	–	Three sessions per year
131.	Executive Board of UNDP/UNFPA/UNOPS	General Assembly resolutions 2029 (XX), 48/162, 65/176 and 69/326	Annual session	5-9 June	New York	36 G	I (ACEFRS)	T[b]	–	Three sessions per year
132.	Group of Governmental Experts on the Operation and Further Development of the United Nations Standardized Instrument for Reporting Military Expenditures	General Assembly resolution 68/23	Third session	5-9 June	New York	15 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	–	Total of three one-week meetings during 2016 and 2017

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133.	Open-ended Working Group on the Fourth Special Session of the General Assembly Devoted to Disarmament	General Assembly resolution 65/66 and decisions 69/518 and 70/551	Third substantive session	5-9 June	New York	193 G	I (ACEFRS)	T		
134.	United Nations Conference to Support the Implementation of Sustainable Development Goal 14: Conserve and Sustainably Use the Oceans, Seas and Marine Resources for Sustainable Development[b]	General Assembly resolution 70/226		5-9 June	Fiji	193 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	–	
135.	Committee on Contributions	General Assembly resolution 14 (I) A	Seventy-seventh session	5-23 June	New York	18 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	–	One session per year
136.	Committee for Programme and Coordination	Economic and Social Council resolution 2008 (LX) and General Assembly resolution 31/93	Fifty-seventh session	5-30 June	New York	34 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	–	One session per year
137.	Economic and Social Council	Charter, General Assembly resolution 68/1, annex, para. 11 (d) and Economic and Social Council resolution 2017/1, para. (a)	Substantive session, coordination and management meetings	7-9 June	New York	54 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	
138.	Committee on the Peaceful Uses of Outer Space	General Assembly resolutions 1472 A (XIV) and 69/85, and General Assembly decision 70/518	Sixtieth session	7-16 June (To be confirmed)	Vienna	83 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	–	One session per year

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139.	Committee against Torture, Subcommittee on Prevention of Torture and Other Cruel, Inhuman or Degrading Treatment or Punishment[c]	Part I, article 2, of the Optional Protocol to the Convention against Torture and Other Cruel, Inhuman or Degrading Treatment or Punishment, and report of the Human Rights Council (A/61/53) and General Assembly resolution 68/268	Thirty-second session	12-16 June	Geneva	25 E	I (EFS)[d]	T	SR	Three sessions per year
140.	Special Committee on the Situation with regard to the Implementation of the Declaration on the Granting of Independence to Colonial Countries and Peoples	General Assembly resolution 1654 (XVI)	Resumed session	12-23 June	New York	28 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR[f]	
141.	Conference of the States Parties to the Convention on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities	General Assembly resolutions 61/106 and 70/247, para. 53 and article 40 of the Convention on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities	Tenth session	13-15 June	New York	159 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	
142.	UNICEF, Executive Board	General Assembly resolutions 57 (I) and 48/162	Annual session	13-16 June	New York	36 G	I (ACEFRS)	T[h]	–	Three sessions per year
143.	Conference of the States Parties to the United Nations Convention against Corruption, Implementation Review Group of the United Nations Convention against Corruption[c]	General Assembly resolution 58/4 and Conference of the States Parties resolution 3/1	Eighth session	19-23 June	Vienna	178 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	–	One session per year
144.	Group of Governmental Experts on Developments in the Field of Information and Telecommunications in the Context of International Security	General Assembly resolutions 61/54, 65/41, 68/243 and 70/237	Fourth session	19-23 June	New York	25 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	–	Total of four one-week meetings in 2016 and 2017 only

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145.	Human Rights Council, Expert Mechanism on the Rights of Indigenous Peoples	Human Rights Council resolution 6/36	Tenth session	19-23 June	Geneva	5 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	–	One session per year
146.	Human Rights Council, Working Group on Situations	Human Rights Council resolution 5/1	Twentieth session	19-23 June	Geneva	5 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	–	Two sessions per year
147.	United Nations Appeals Tribunal	General Assembly resolutions 61/261, 62/228, 63/253, 64/233 and 65/251	2017 summer session	19-30 June	Geneva	To be determined	I (ACEFRS)	T	–	One session per year
148.	States parties to the International Convention for the Protection of All Persons from Enforced Disappearance	General Assembly resolution 65/209	Fourth meeting	20 June	New York	To be determined	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	One session every two years
149.	UNEP, Committee of Permanent Representatives	General Assembly resolution 2997 (XXVII), UNEP Governing Council decision 19/32	139th meeting	20 June	Nairobi	/	I (ACEFRS)	–	RW[g]	Four meetings per year
150.	Economic and Social Council	Charter, General Assembly resolution 68/1, annex, para. 11 (b) and Economic and Social Council resolution 2017/1, para. (g)	Substantive session, Humanitarian affairs segment	21-23 June	Geneva	54 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	
151.	States parties to the International Convention on the Elimination of All Forms of Racial Discrimination	General Assembly resolution 2106 (XX)	Twenty-seventh meeting	22 June	New York	155 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	One session every two years
152.	Human Rights Committee, pre-sessional Working Group on Communications[c]	General Assembly resolutions 2200 A (XXI) and 68/268	120th session	26-30 June	Geneva	9 E	I (EFS)[d]	T	–	Three sessions per year
153.	Commission on Narcotic Drugs, Meeting of Heads of National Drug Law Enforcement Agencies, Europe	Economic and Social Council resolutions 1990/30, 1993/36 and 2005/28	Twelfth meeting	27-30 June	Vienna	56 G	I (EFRS)	T	–	One session every two years

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154.	Meeting of the Chairs of the human rights treaty bodies[c]	General Assembly resolutions 46/111, 49/178 and 57/202	Twenty-ninth session	27-30 June	Geneva	8 E	I (EFS)[d]	T	–	One session per year
155.	UN-Women, Executive Board[b]	General Assembly resolution 64/289	Annual session	27-30 June (To be confirmed)	New York	41 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	–	Three sessions per year
156.	States parties to the International Convention on the Protection of the Rights of All Migrant Workers and Members of Their Families	General Assembly resolution 57/218	Eighth meeting	28 June	New York	14 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	One session every two years
157.	Advisory Board on Disarmament Matters	General Assembly resolutions 37/99 K and 54/418	Sixty-eighth session	28-30 June	New York	15 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	–	Two sessions per year
158.	Committee on the Elimination of Discrimination against Women, Working Group on Communications under the Optional Protocol to the Convention[c]	General Assembly resolutions 35/70, 62/218 and 68/268	Thirty-eighth session	28-30 June	Geneva	5 E	I (EFS)[d]	T	–	Three sessions per year for a total of 10 working days
159.	States parties to the United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea	General Assembly resolutions 37/66 and 49/28	Twenty-seventh meeting	June	New York	138 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	–	One or two sessions per year
160.	UN-Habitat, Committee of Permanent Representatives	General Assembly resolution 56/206	Sixty-fifth meeting	June	Nairobi	/	I (ACEFRS)	–	RW[e]	Four meetings per year
161.	United Nations Joint Staff Pension Board, Committee of Actuaries	General Assembly resolution 1561 (XV), article XXIX		June	Geneva	5 E	I (EF)	T	–	One session per year
162.	Meetings of the special rapporteurs, special representatives, independent experts and chairs of the working groups of the Human Rights Council	Commission on Human Rights resolution 2002/84 and decision 2005/113	Twenty-fourth session	3-7 July	Geneva	To be determined	I (EFS)	T	–	One session per year

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163.	Subcommittee of Experts on the Transport of Dangerous Goods	Economic and Social Council resolutions 1989/104 and 1999/65	Fifty-first session	3-7 July	Geneva	30 E	I (CEFRS)	T	–	One or two sessions per year
164.	Committee on the Elimination of Discrimination against Women[c]	General Assembly resolutions 34/180, 62/218 and 68/268	Sixty-seventh session	3-21 July	Geneva	23 E	I (EFS)[d]	T	SR	Three sessions per year
165.	Human Rights Council	General Assembly resolution 60/251	Thirty-fifth session	3-21 July	Geneva	47 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	No fewer than three sessions per year, of a total duration of no less than 10 weeks
166.	UNCITRAL	General Assembly resolution 2205 (XXI)	Fiftieth session	3-21 July	Vienna	60 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	One session per year
167.	Human Rights Committee[c]	General Assembly resolutions 2200 A (XXI) and 68/268	120th session	3-28 July	Geneva	18 E	I (EFS)[d]	T	SR	Three sessions per year
168.	International Law Commission	General Assembly resolution 174 (II)	Sixty-ninth session, second part	3 July-4 August	Geneva	34 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	One session per year
169.	UNCTAD, Intergovernmental Group of Experts on Competition Law and Policy	Trade and Development Board decision at its thirteenth executive session (8 July 1996) and General Assembly resolution 51/167	Sixteenth session	5-7 July	Geneva	194 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	–	One session per year
170.	Economic and Social Council	Charter, General Assembly resolution 68/1, annex, para. 11 (d) and Economic and Social Council resolution 2017/1, para. (a)	Substantive session, coordination and management meetings	6 July	New York	54 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	
171.	Investments Committee	General Assembly resolution 248 (III)	234th meeting	10 July	New York	11-12 E	–	–	–	Four or five meetings per year
172.	Subcommittee of Experts on the Globally Harmonized System of Classification and Labelling of Chemicals	Economic and Social Council resolutions 1989/104 and 1999/65	Thirty-third session	10-12 July	Geneva	36 E	I (CEFRS)	T	–	One or two sessions per year

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173.	Open-ended intergovernmental working group to elaborate a legally binding instrument on transnational corporations and other business enterprises with respect to human rights	Human Rights Council resolution 26/9	Third session	10-14 July	Geneva	193 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	–	One session per year
174.	High-level political forum on sustainable development convened under the auspices of the Economic and Social Council	General Assembly resolutions 66/288, 67/290 and 68/1 and Economic and Social Council resolution 2017/1, para. (h)	Fourth session	10-14 July	New York	197 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	–	One session per year
175.	International Law Seminar	General Assembly resolution 49/51	Fifty-third session	10-28 July (To be confirmed)	Geneva	30 E	I (EFS)	–	–	One session per year
176.	Economic and Social Council	Charter, General Assembly resolution 68/1, annex, para. 11 (c) and Economic and Social Council resolution 2017/1, para. (i)	Substantive session, high-level segment, including the three-day ministerial meeting of the High-level Political Forum on Sustainable Development, convened under the auspices of the Council	17-20 July	New York	54 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	
177.	Human Rights Council, Working Group on the use of mercenaries as a means of violating human rights and impeding the exercise of the right of peoples to self-determination	Human Rights Council resolution 7/21	Thirty-first session	17-21 July	New York	5 E	I (AERS)	T	–	Three sessions per year, two in Geneva, one in New York
178.	Independent Audit Advisory Committee	General Assembly resolution 61/275	Thirty-ninth session	19-21 July	New York	5 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	–	Four sessions per year

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179.	Committee on the Elimination of Discrimination against Women, pre-sessional working group[c]	General Assembly resolutions 45/124, 47/94, 62/218 and 68/268	Sixty-ninth session	24-28 July	Geneva	4 E	I (EFS)[d]	T	–	Three sessions per year
180.	ICSC	General Assembly resolution 3357 (XXIX)	Eighty-fifth session	24 July-4 August	To be determined	15 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	–	Two sessions per year
181.	Committee against Torture[c]	General Assembly resolutions 39/46 and 68/268	Sixty-first session	24 July-11 August	Geneva	10 E	I (EFS)[d]	T	SR	Three sessions per year
182.	Commission on the Limits of the Continental Shelf[e]	Annex II, article 2 (5), of the United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea, General Assembly resolution 67/78	Forty-fourth session	24 July-8 September[b]	New York	21 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	–	Three sessions per year
183.	Economic and Social Council	Charter, General Assembly resolution 68/1, annex, para. 11 (d) and Economic and Social Council resolution 2017/1, para. (a)	Substantive session, coordination and management meetings	25-26 July	New York	54 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	
184.	United Nations Board of Auditors	General Assembly resolution 74 (I)	Seventy-first regular session	26-27 July	New York	3 E	I (CEF)	T	–	One session per year
185.	Economic and Social Council	Charter, General Assembly resolution 68/1, para. 10 and Economic and Social Council resolution 2017/1, para. (j)	Organizational session	27 July	New York	54 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	
186.	Committee on the Elimination of Racial Discrimination[c]	General Assembly resolutions 2106 A (XX) and 68/268	Ninety-third session	31 July-25 August (To be confirmed)	Geneva	18 E	I (EFS)[d]	T	SR	Three sessions per year
187.	Conference on Disarmament	General Assembly resolutions 1722 (XVI), S-10/2 and 34/83 L	Third part	31 July-15 September	Geneva	61 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	PV	One session in three parts per year
188.	Ad Hoc Committee on the Indian Ocean	General Assembly resolutions 2992 (XXVII) and 70/22	2017 session	July	New York	43 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	One session every two years

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189.	United Nations Joint Staff Pension Board	General Assembly resolutions 248 (III), 46/200 and 61/240	Sixty-fourth session	July	New York	33 E	I (EF)	T	–	One session per year
190.	United Nations Joint Staff Pension Board, Standing Committee	General Assembly resolution 248 (III)		July (1 meeting)	New York	15 E	I (EF)	T	–	One session per year
191.	Committee of Experts on Global Geospatial Information Management	Economic and Social Council resolution 2011/24	Seventh session	2-4 August[f]	New York	193 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	–	One session per year
192.	United Nations Group of Experts on Geographical Names[m]	Economic and Social Council resolutions 715 A (XXVII) and 1314 (XLIV)	Thirtieth session	7 and 18 August	New York	80 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	–	One session every two years
193.	Group of Governmental Experts to the Convention on the Prohibition of the Development, Production and Stockpiling of Bacteriological (Biological) and Toxin Weapons and on Their Destruction[b,c]	Decision of the States parties at the Seventh Review Conference and General Assembly resolution 2826 (XXVI)	Meeting of Experts	7-11 August (To be confirmed)	Geneva	172 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	
194.	Human Rights Council Advisory Committee	Human Rights Council resolution 5/1	Nineteenth session	7-11 August	Geneva	18 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	Two sessions per year
195.	United Nations Conference on the Standardization of Geographical Names	Economic and Social Council resolution 1314 (XLIV)	Eleventh session	8-17 August	New York	196 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	–	One session every five years
196.	Human Rights Council, Working Group on Communications	Human Rights Council resolution 5/1	Twenty-first session	14-18 August	Geneva	5 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	–	Two sessions per year
197.	Committee on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities[e]	General Assembly resolutions 61/106, 66/229 and 68/268 and article 34 of the Convention on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities	Eighteenth session	14 August-1 September	Geneva	18 E	I (EFS)[d]	T	SR	Two sessions per year

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198.	Conference of the States Parties to the United Nations Convention against Corruption, Open-ended Intergovernmental Working Group on the Prevention of Corruption[c]	General Assembly resolution 58/4 and Conference of the States Parties resolution 3/2	Eighth meeting	21-23 August	Vienna	178 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	–	One session per year
199.	Conference of the States Parties to the United Nations Convention against Corruption, Open-ended Intergovernmental Working Group on Asset Recovery[c]	General Assembly resolution 58/4 and Conference of the States Parties resolution 3/3	Eleventh meeting	24-25 August	Vienna	178 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	–	One session per year
200.	Committee on the Protection of the Rights of All Migrant Workers and Members of Their Families[c]	General Assembly resolutions 45/158 and 68/268	Twenty-seventh session	28 August-6 September	Geneva	14 E	I (EFS)[d]	T	SR	Two sessions per year
201.	UN-Women, Executive Board[b]	General Assembly resolution 64/289	Second regular session	30 August-1 September (To be confirmed)	New York	41 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	–	Three sessions per year
202.	Preparatory Committee established by General Assembly resolution 69/292, entitled "Development of an international legally binding instrument under the United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea on the conservation and sustainable use of marine biological diversity of areas beyond national jurisdiction"	General Assembly resolution 69/292	Fourth session	August/ September	New York	193 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	–	Total of two sessions, of 10 working days duration each, in 2016 and 2017
203.	UNCTAD, Working Party on the Strategic Framework and the Programme Budget	UNCTAD resolution 114 (V) and Trade and Development Board decision 156 (XVII)	Seventy-fifth session	4-6 September	Geneva	19 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	–	Three sessions per year

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204.	Committee on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities, pre-sessional working group[c]	General Assembly resolutions 67/160 and 68/268	Eighth session	4-8 September	Geneva	6 E	I (EFS)[d]	T	–	Two sessions per year
205.	Committee on Enforced Disappearances[e]	General Assembly resolutions 61/177 and 68/268	Thirteenth session	4-15 September	Geneva	10 E	I (EFS)[d]	T	SR	Two sessions per year
206.	Committee on Conferences	General Assembly resolution 43/222 B	Substantive session	5-11 September (To be confirmed)	New York	21 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	–	One session per year
207.	Executive Board of UNDP/UNFPA/UNOPS	General Assembly resolutions 2029 (XX), 48/162 and 65/176	Second regular session	5-11 September	New York	36 G	I (ACEFRS)	T[b]	–	Three sessions per year
208.	Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions	General Assembly resolutions 14 (I), 173 (II), 32/103 and 64/243	Fall session	5 September-8 December[n,o]	New York	16 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	–	Three sessions per year
209.	States parties to the Convention on Cluster Munitions[b,c]	General Assembly resolutions 64/36 and 70/54	Meeting of the States Parties	11-15 September	To be determined	59 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	–	One session per year
210.	UNCITRAL, Working Group II (Dispute Settlement)	General Assembly resolution 33/92	Sixty-seventh session	11-15 September (To be confirmed)	Vienna	60 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	–	Two sessions per year
211.	UNCTAD, Trade and Development Board	General Assembly resolution 1995 (XIX) and UNCTAD resolution 114 (V)	Sixty-fourth session	11-22 September	Geneva	155 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	–	One session per year
212.	Committee on the Rights of the Child[c]	General Assembly resolutions 44/25, 47/112, 49/211 and 68/268	Seventy-sixth session	11-29 September	Geneva	18 E	I (EFS)[d]	T	SR	Three sessions per year
213.	Human Rights Council	General Assembly resolution 60/251	Thirty-sixth session	11-29 September	Geneva	47 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	No fewer than three sessions per year for a total duration of no less than 10 weeks
214.	UNICEF, Executive Board	General Assembly resolutions 57 (I) and 48/162	Second regular session	12-15 September[p]	New York	36 G	I (ACEFRS)	T[b]	–	Three sessions per year

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215.	General Assembly	Charter, General Assembly resolution 57/301, para. 1	Seventy-second session	12 September-December[a,e]	New York	193 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	PV/ SR[g]	
216.	Commission on Narcotic Drugs, Meeting of Heads of National Drug Law Enforcement Agencies, Africa	Economic and Social Council resolution 1985/11	Twenty-seventh meeting	18-22 September (To be confirmed)	Addis Ababa	54 G	I (AEF)	T	–	One session per year
217.	Committee on Economic, Social and Cultural Rights[c]	Economic and Social Council resolutions 1982/33, 1985/17, 2012/29 and General Assembly resolution 68/268	Sixty-second session	18 September-6 October	Geneva	18 E	I (EFS)[d]	T	SR	Three sessions per year
218.	General Assembly	Charter, General Assembly resolution 57/301, para. 2	General debate, Seventy-second session	19-28 September	New York	193 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	PV/ SR[g]	
219.	UNEP, Committee of Permanent Representatives	General Assembly resolution 2997 (XXVII), UNEP Governing Council decision 19/32	140th meeting	20 September	Nairobi	/	I (ACEFRS)	–	RW[g]	Four meetings per year
220.	Human Rights Council, Working Group on the issue of human rights and transnational corporations and other business enterprises	Human Rights Council resolutions 17/4 and 26/22	Eighteenth session	25-29 September	Geneva	5 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	–	Three sessions per year (mandate extended until 2017)
221.	General Assembly	General Assembly resolutions 69/58 and 70/34	Commemoration of the International Day for the Total Elimination of Nuclear Weapons	26 September	New York	193 G	I (ACEFRS)	–		One meeting per year
222.	UN-Habitat, Committee of Permanent Representatives	General Assembly resolution 56/206	Sixty-sixth meeting	September	Nairobi	/	I (ACEFRS)	–	RW[g]	Four meetings per year
223.	UNRWA, Advisory Commission	General Assembly resolution 302 (IV)		September (1 day)	To be determined	10 G	I (AEF)	T	–	One session per year

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224.	Human Rights Council, intersessional forum on economic, social and cultural rights (social forum)	Human Rights Council resolution 6/13	2017 session	2-4 October	Geneva	10 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	–	One session per year
225.	Commission on Narcotic Drugs, Meeting of Heads of National Drug Law Enforcement Agencies, Latin America and the Caribbean	Economic and Social Council resolutions 1987/34 and 1988/15	Twenty-seventh meeting	2-6 October (To be confirmed)	Santiago	44 G	I (EFS)	T	–	One session per year
226.	Committee on the Rights of the Child, pre-sessional working group[c]	General Assembly resolutions 44/25, 47/112, 49/211 and 68/268	Seventy-eighth session	2-6 October	Geneva	18 E	I (EFS)[d]	T	–	Three sessions per year
227.	UNCITRAL, Working Group I (Micro-, Small- and Medium-sized Enterprises)	General Assembly resolution 33/92	Twenty-ninth session	2-6 October (To be confirmed)	Vienna	60 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	–	Two sessions per year
228.	UNHCR, Executive Committee	General Assembly resolutions 1166 (XII), 66/134 and 69/153	Sixty-eighth session	2-6 October	Geneva	98 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	One session per year
229.	United Nations Voluntary Fund for Victims of Torture, Board of Trustees	General Assembly resolution 36/151	Forty-sixth session	2-6 October	Geneva	5 E	I (EFS)	T	–	Two sessions per year
230.	UNCCD, Conference of the Parties to the Convention and meetings of subsidiary bodies[c]	General Assembly resolution 66/201	Thirteenth session	2-13 October	To be determined	185 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	–	One session every two years
231.	States parties to the Convention against Torture and Other Cruel, Inhuman or Degrading Treatment or Punishment[c]	General Assembly resolution 39/46 A	Sixteenth session	5 October	Geneva	139 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	One session every two years
232.	Committee on Economic, Social and Cultural Rights, pre-sessional working group[c]	Economic and Social Council resolutions 1982/33, 1985/17 and 2012/29 and General Assembly resolution 68/268	Sixty-first session	9-13 October	Geneva	5 E	I (EFS)[d]	T	–	Two sessions per year

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233.	Conference of the Parties to the United Nations Convention against Transnational Organized Crime, Working Group of Government Experts on Technical Assistance[c]	General Assembly resolution 55/255 and Conference of the States Parties decision 2/6 and resolution 7/1	Tenth session	9-13 October (To be confirmed)	Vienna	186 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	–	One session per year
234.	Conference of the Parties to the United Nations Convention against Transnational Organized Crime, Working Group on International Cooperation[c]	General Assembly resolution 55/255 and Conference of the States Parties decision 3/2 and resolution 7/1	Eighth session	9-13 October (To be confirmed)	Vienna	186 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	–	One session per year
235.	Human Rights Committee, pre-sessional Working Group on Communications[c]	General Assembly resolutions 2200 A (XXI) and 68/268	121st session	9-13 October	Geneva	9 E	I (EFS)[d]	T	–	Three sessions per year
236.	Working Group on Discrimination against Women in Law and in Practice	Human Rights Council resolutions 15/23, 23/7 and 32/4	Twentieth session	9-13 October (To be confirmed)	Geneva	5 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	–	Three sessions per year, two in Geneva, one in New York (mandate extended until 2019)
237.	Human Rights Council, Intergovernmental Working Group on the Effective Implementation of the Durban Declaration and Programme of Action	Commission on Human Rights resolution 2002/68 and Economic and Social Council decision 2002/270 and Human Rights Council resolution 1/5	Fifteenth session	9-20 October[n]	Geneva	193 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	–	One session per year
238.	Commission on the Limits of the Continental Shelf[f]	Annex II, article 2 (5), of the United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea, General Assembly resolution 67/78	Forty-fifth session[r]	9 October-24 November[n,o]	New York	21 E	–	–	–	Three sessions per year
239.	UNCITRAL, Working Group IV (Electronic Commerce)	General Assembly resolution 33/92	Fifty-sixth session	16-20 October[n] (To be confirmed)	Vienna	60 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	–	One session per year

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240.	Human Rights Committee[c]	General Assembly resolutions 2200 A (XXI) and 68/268	121st session	16 October-3 November[n]	Geneva	18 E	I (EFS)[d]	T	SR	Three sessions per year
241.	Committee of Experts on International Cooperation in Tax Matters	Economic and Social Council resolutions 1273 (XLIII), 1765 (LIV), 2004/69 General Assembly resolutions 69/313 and 70/248	Fifteenth session	17-20 October[n] (To be confirmed)	Geneva	25 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	–	Two sessions per year of four working days each
242.	Committee on the Elimination of Discrimination against Women, Working Group on Communications under the Optional Protocol to the Convention[c]	General Assembly resolutions 55/70, 62/218 and 68/268	Thirty-ninth session	18-20 October[n]	Geneva	5 E	I (EFS)[d]	T	–	Three sessions per year for a total of 10 working days
243.	Commission on Narcotic Drugs, Meeting of Heads of National Drug Law Enforcement Agencies, Asia and the Pacific	Economic and Social Council resolutions 1985/11 and 1988/15	Forty-first meeting	23-27 October (To be confirmed)	Bangkok	53 G		–	–	One session per year
244.	Committee on the Elimination of Discrimination against Women[c]	General Assembly resolutions 34/180, 62/218 and 68/268	Sixty-eighth session	23 October-17 November	Geneva	23 E	I (EFS)[d]	T	SR	Three sessions per year
245.	Voluntary Fund for Technical Cooperation in the Field of Human Rights, Board of Trustees	Economic and Social Council decision 1993/283	Forty-fifth session	30 October-1 November (To be confirmed)	Geneva	5 E	I (EFS)	T	–	Two sessions per year
246.	Conference of the Parties to the United Nations Convention against Transnational Organized Crime, Working Group on the Smuggling of Migrants[c]	General Assembly resolution 55/25	Fifth session	30 October-3 November	Vienna	141 G	I (ACEFRS)	T		One session per year

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247.	Conference of the Parties to the United Nations Convention against Transnational Organized Crime, Working Group on Trafficking in Persons[c]	General Assembly resolution 55/25	Eighth session	30 October-3 November	Vienna	167 G	I (ACEFRS)	T		One session per year
248.	International Narcotics Control Board[c]	Single Convention on Narcotic Drugs of 1961, article 11	120th session	31 October-17 November	Vienna	13 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	–	Two or three sessions per year
249.	Advisory Committee on the United Nations Programme of Assistance in the Teaching, Study, Dissemination and Wider Appreciation of International Law	General Assembly resolution 2099 (XX)	Fifty-second session	October[f] (1 meeting)	New York	25 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	–	One session per year
250.	General Assembly	General Assembly resolution 57/250	Eighth high-level dialogue on financing for development[r]	October[n] (2 or 3 days)	New York	195 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	PV[q]	One session every two years
251.	Security Council, Governing Council of the United Nations Compensation Commission, established pursuant to Security Council resolution 692 (1991)[b]	Security Council resolution 692 (1991)		October[n] (To be confirmed)	Geneva	15 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	–	Up to four sessions for a total of 12 working days per year
252.	General Assembly, First Committee	General Assembly resolutions 173 (II) and 47/233	Seventy-second session	October-November[n,o]	New York	193 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	PV[q]	
253.	General Assembly, Fourth Committee	General Assembly resolutions 173 (II) and 47/233	Seventy-second session	October-November[n,o]	New York	193 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	
254.	General Assembly, Second Committee	General Assembly resolutions 173 (II) and 47/233	Seventy-second session	October-November[n,o]	New York	193 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	
255.	General Assembly, Sixth Committee	General Assembly resolutions 173 (II) and 47/233	Seventy-second session	October-November[n,o]	New York	193 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	

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256.	General Assembly, Third Committee	General Assembly resolutions 173 (II) and 47/233	Seventy-second session	October-November[n,o]	New York	193 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	
257.	General Assembly, Fifth Committee	General Assembly resolutions 173 (II) and 47/233	Seventy-second session	October-December[n,o]	New York	193 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	
258.	UNCTAD, Intergovernmental Working Group of Experts on International Standards of Accounting and Reporting	Economic and Social Council resolution 1982/67	Thirty-fourth session	1-3 November	Geneva	34 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	–	One session per year
259.	Investments Committee	General Assembly resolution 248 (III)	235th meeting	6 November	New York	11-12 E	–	–	–	Four or five meetings per year
260.	Conference of the States Parties to the United Nations Convention against Corruption[c]	General Assembly resolution 58/4	Seventh session	6-10 November	Vienna	178 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	–	One session every two years
261.	Human Rights Council, Working Group of Experts on People of African Descent	Commission on Human Rights resolution 2002/68 and Human Rights Council resolutions 9/14 and 27/25	Twenty-first session	6-10 November	Geneva	5 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	–	Two sessions per year (mandate extended until 2017)
262.	Human Rights Council, Working Group on the Universal Periodic Review	General Assembly resolution 60/251 and Human Rights Council decisions 1/103 and 31/116 and resolution 5/1	Twenty-eighth session	6-17 November	Geneva	47 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	–	Three sessions per year
263.	UNFCCC, Conference of the Parties to the Convention and meetings of subsidiary bodies[c]	General Assembly resolution 48/189	Twenty-third session	6-17 November	To be determined	189 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	–	One session per year
264.	Committee against Torture[c]	General Assembly resolutions 39/46, 65/204 and 68/268	Sixty-second session	6 November-6 December[p]	Geneva	10 E	I (EFS)[d]	T	SR	Three sessions per year

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265.	Human Rights Council, Working Group on Enforced and Involuntary Disappearances	Commission on Human Rights resolution 20 (XXXVI) and Human Rights Council resolutions 7/12 and 27/1	113th session	11-15 November	Geneva	5 E	I (AEFS)	T	–	Three sessions per year (mandate extended until 2017)
266.	Annual Conference of the High Contracting Parties to Amended Protocol II to the Convention on Prohibitions or Restrictions on the Use of Certain Conventional Weapons Which May Be Deemed to Be Excessively Injurious or to Have Indiscriminate Effects[b,c]	Article 13 (1) of the Amended Protocol and General Assembly resolutions 32/152 and 35/153	Nineteenth annual conference	13 November (To be confirmed)	Geneva	92 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	One session per year
267.	Commission on Narcotic Drugs, Subcommission on Illicit Drug Traffic and Related Matters in the Near and Middle East	Economic and Social Council resolution 1776 (LIV)	Fifty-second session	13-17 November (To be confirmed)	A capital in the region	23 G	I (AER)	T	–	One session per year
268.	Committee against Torture, Subcommittee on Prevention of Torture and Other Cruel, Inhuman or Degrading Treatment or Punishment[c]	Part I, article 2, of the Optional Protocol to the Convention against Torture and Other Cruel, Inhuman or Degrading Treatment or Punishment and report of the Human Rights Council (A/61/53) and General Assembly resolution 68/268	Thirty-third session	13-17 November	Geneva	25 E	I (EFS)[d]	T	SR	Three sessions per year

	Organ	Mandate	Meeting title/ session number	Dates (2017)	Location	Membership	Servicing[a]			Periodicity
269.	Conference of the High Contracting Parties to Protocol V to the Convention on Prohibitions or Restrictions on the Use of Certain Conventional Weapons Which May Be Deemed to Be Excessively Injurious or to Have Indiscriminate Effects[b,c]	Article 10 of the Amended Protocol and General Assembly resolutions 32/152 and 35/153	Eleventh Conference of the High Contracting Parties	14-15 November (To be confirmed)	Geneva	72 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	One session per year
270.	United Nations System Chief Executives Board for Coordination	Economic and Social Council decision 2001/321	Second regular session	16 November[n] (To be confirmed)	New York	26 ST	I (EF)	T	–	Two sessions per year
271.	Annual meeting of States parties to the Convention on Prohibitions or Restrictions on the Use of Certain Conventional Weapons Which May Be Deemed to Be Excessively Injurious or to Have Indiscriminate Effects[b,c]	General Assembly resolutions 32/152 and 35/153	Meeting of the High Contracting Parties	16-17 November (To be confirmed)	Geneva	114 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	One session per year
272.	Human Rights Council, Forum on Business and Human Rights	Human Rights Council resolutions 17/4 and 26/22	Sixth session	20-22 November[n] (To be confirmed)	Geneva	193 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	–	One session per year
273.	Committee on the Elimination of Discrimination against Women, pre-sessional working group[r]	General Assembly resolutions 45/124, 47/94, 62/218 and 68/268	Seventieth session	20-24 November[n]	Geneva	4 E	I (EFS)[d]	T	–	Three sessions per year
274.	UNCITRAL, Working Group V (Insolvency Law)	General Assembly resolution 33/92	Fifty-second session	20-24 November[n] (To be confirmed)	Vienna	60 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	–	Two sessions per year
275.	Committee on the Elimination of Racial Discrimination[r]	General Assembly resolutions 2106 A (XX) and 68/268	Ninety-fourth session	20 November-8 December[n]	Geneva	18 E	I (EFS)[d]	T	SR	Three sessions per year

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276.	UNCTAD, Working Party on the Strategic Framework and the Programme Budget	UNCTAD resolution 114 (V) and Trade and Development Board decision 156 (XVII)	Seventy-sixth session	27-29 November	Geneva	19 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	–	Three sessions per year
277.	Human Rights Council, Working Group on the use of mercenaries as a means of violating human rights and impeding the exercise of the right of peoples to self-determination	Human Rights Council resolution 7/21	Thirty-second session	27 November-1 December	Geneva	5 E	I (AERS)	T	–	Three sessions per year, two in Geneva, one in New York
278.	States parties to the Convention on the Prohibition of the Use, Stockpiling, Production and Transfer of Anti-personnel Mines and on Their Destruction[b]	Article 11 (2) of the Convention and General Assembly resolution 52/38 A	Sixteenth meeting	27 November-1 December	Geneva	156 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	–	One session per year
279.	UNCITRAL, Working Group III	General Assembly resolution 33/92		27 November-1 December (To be confirmed)	Vienna	60 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	–	Two sessions per year
280	United Nations Voluntary Trust Fund on Contemporary Forms of Slavery, Board of Trustees	General Assembly resolution 46/122	Twenty-second session	27 November-1 December	Geneva	5 E	I (EFS)	T	–	One session per year
281.	Subcommittee of Experts on the Transport of Dangerous Goods	Economic and Social Council resolutions 1989/104 and 1999/65	Fifty-second session	27 November-6 December	Geneva	30 E	I (CEFRS)	T	–	One or two sessions per year
282.	Committee on the Exercise of the Inalienable Rights of the Palestinian People	General Assembly resolutions 32/40 B and 33/28	Special meeting in observance of the International Day of Solidarity with the Palestinian People	29 November	New York	25 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	PV	One session per year
283.	Human Rights Council, Forum on Minority Issues	Human Rights Council resolutions 6/15 and 19/23	Tenth session	30 November-1 December	Geneva	5 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	–	One session per year

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284.	Conference of the States Parties to the United Nations Convention against Corruption, Implementation Review Group of the United Nations Convention against Corruption[c]	General Assembly resolution 58/4 and Conference of the States Parties resolution 3/1	Resumed eighth session	November[p]	Vienna	178 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	–	One session per year
285.	Conference of the States Parties to the United Nations Convention against Corruption, open-ended intergovernmental expert meetings to enhance international cooperation[c]	General Assembly resolution 58/4 and Conference of the States Parties resolution 4/2	Sixth session	November[p]	Vienna	178 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	–	One session per year
286.	United Nations Pledging Conference for Development Activities	General Assembly resolution 32/197		November[p]	New York	196 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	–	One session per year
287.	United Nations Staff Pension Committee	General Assembly resolution 248 (III)		November[p] (1 meeting)	New York	12 E	–	–	–	Two sessions of one meeting each per year
288.	WFP, Executive Board[b]	Economic and Social Council decision 1995/227 and General Assembly resolution 50/8	Second regular session	November[p]	Rome	36 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	–	Three sessions per year
289.	Panel of External Auditors of the United Nations, the Specialized Agencies and the International Atomic Energy Agency	General Assembly resolutions 347 (IV) and 1438 (XIV)	Fifty-eighth regular session	4-5 December[p] (To be confirmed)	New York	9 E	I (CEF)	T	–	One session per year

	Organ	Mandate	Meeting title/ session number	Dates (2017)	Location	Membership	Servicing[a]			Periodicity
290.	Meeting of the States Parties to the Convention on the Prohibition of the Development, Production and Stockpiling of Bacteriological (Biological) and Toxin Weapons and on Their Destruction[b,c]	Decision of the States parties at the Seventh Review Conference and General Assembly resolution 2826 (XXVI)	Annual session	4-8 December (To be confirmed)	Geneva	172 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	–	One session per year
291.	Ad Hoc Committee of the General Assembly for the Announcement of Voluntary Contributions to the Programme of the United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees	General Assembly resolution 55/75	Pledging Conference	5 December (To be confirmed)	Geneva	196 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	–	One meeting per year
292.	United Nations Board of Auditors	General Assembly resolution 74 (I)	Forty-seventh special session	5 December[b] (To be confirmed)	New York	3 E	I (CEF)	T	–	One session per year
293.	Subcommittee of Experts on the Globally Harmonized System of Classification and Labelling of Chemicals	Economic and Social Council resolutions 1989/104 and 1999/65	Thirty-fourth session	6-8 December	Geneva	36 E	I (CEFRS)	T	–	One or two sessions per year
294.	Commission on Narcotic Drugs and Commission on Crime Prevention and Criminal Justice	Economic and Social Council decision 2011/259	Joint meetings of the Commission on Narcotic Drugs, reconvened sixtieth session, and the Commission on Crime Prevention and Criminal Justice, reconvened twenty-sixth session	7 December	Vienna	53 G/40 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	–	
295.	Commission on Crime Prevention and Criminal Justice	Economic and Social Council decision 2009/251	Reconvened twenty-sixth session	8 December	Vienna	40 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	–	One session per year

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296.	Commission on Narcotic Drugs	Economic and Social Council resolutions 9 (I) and 1991/39	Reconvened sixtieth session	8 December	Vienna	53 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	–	One session per year
297.	Independent Audit Advisory Committee	General Assembly resolution 61/275	Fortieth session	11-13 December[b]	New York	5 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	–	Four sessions per year
298.	UNCITRAL, Working Group VI (Security Interests)	General Assembly resolution 33/92	Thirty-second session	11-15 December (To be confirmed)	Vienna	60 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	–	Two sessions per year
299.	Ad Hoc Committee of the General Assembly for the Announcement of Voluntary Contributions to the United Nations Relief and Works Agency for Palestine Refugees in the Near East	General Assembly resolution 1729 (XVI)		December[b]	New York	196 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	–	One meeting per year
300.	UN-Habitat, Committee of Permanent Representatives	General Assembly resolution 56/206	Sixty-seventh meeting	December	Nairobi	/	I (ACEFRS)	–	RW[d]	Four meetings per year
301.	Committee on Conferences	General Assembly resolution 43/222 B		As required	New York	21 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	–	As required
302.	Committee on Relations with the Host Country	General Assembly resolution 2819 (XXVI)		As required	New York	19 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	–	As required
303.	Committee on the Exercise of the Inalienable Rights of the Palestinian People	General Assembly resolution 3375 (XXX)		As required	New York	25 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	As required
304.	Economic and Social Council	Charter and General Assembly resolutions 50/227, 61/16 and 68/1	Formal/informal meetings	As required	New York	54 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR[e]	As required
305.	Executive Board of UNDP/UNFPA/UNOPS	General Assembly resolutions 2020 (XX), 48/162 and 65/176	Briefings and informal consultations	As required	New York	36 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	–	As required
306.	General Assembly	Charter	Plenary meetings and informal consultations	As required	New York	193 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	PV/ SR[e]	As required

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307.	Human Rights Council	General Assembly resolution 60/251	Organizational and intersessional meetings and special sessions	As required	Geneva	47 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR[f]	As required
308.	International Criminal Tribunal for the Prosecution of Persons Responsible for Genocide and Other Serious Violations of International Humanitarian Law Committed in the Territory of Rwanda and Rwandan Citizens Responsible for Genocide and Other Such Violations Committed in the Territory of Neighbouring States between 1 January and 31 December 1994	Security Council resolution 955 (1994)		As required	Arusha, United Republic of Tanzania	11 E	I (EF)	T	–	As required
309.	International Tribunal for the Prosecution of Persons Responsible for Serious Violations of International Humanitarian Law Committed in the Territory of the Former Yugoslavia since 1991	Security Council resolution 808 (1993) and General Assembly resolution 47/235		As required	The Hague	11 E	I (EF)	T	–	As required
310.	Peacebuilding Commission	General Assembly resolution 60/180 and Security Council resolution 1645 (2005)		As required	New York	31 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	As required
311.	Security Council	Charter		As required	New York	15 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	PV	As required

	Organ	Mandate	Meeting title/ session number	Dates (2017)	Location	Membership	Servicing*			Periodicity
312.	Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolutions 751 (1992) and 1907 (2009) concerning Somalia and Eritrea	Security Council resolutions 751 (1992) and 1907 (2009)		As required	New York	15 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	As required
313.	Security Council Committee pursuant to resolutions 1267 (1999), 1989 (2011) and 2253 (2015) concerning ISIL (Da'esh), Al-Qaida and associated individuals, groups, undertakings and entities	Security Council resolutions 1267 (1999), 1989 (2011) and 2253 (2015)		As required	New York	15 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	As required
314.	Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1373 (2001) concerning counter-terrorism	Security Council resolution 1373 (2001)		As required	New York	15 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	As required
315.	Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1518 (2003)	Security Council resolution 1518 (2003)		As required	New York	15 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	As required
316.	Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1533 (2004) concerning the Democratic Republic of the Congo	Security Council resolution 1533 (2004)		As required	New York	15 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	As required
317.	Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1540 (2004)	Security Council resolution 1540 (2004)		As required	New York	15 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	As required
318.	Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1591 (2005) concerning the Sudan	Security Council resolution 1591 (2005)		As required	New York	15 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	As required

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319.	Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1636 (2005)	Security Council resolution 1636 (2005)		As required	New York	15 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	As required
320.	Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1718 (2006)	Security Council resolution 1718 (2006)		As required	New York	15 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	As required
321.	Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1970 (2011) concerning Libya	Security Council resolution 1970 (2011)		As required	New York	15 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	As required
322.	Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1988 (2011)	Security Council resolution 1988 (2011)		As required	New York	15 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	As required
323.	Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 2048 (2012) concerning Guinea-Bissau	Security Council resolution 2048 (2012) concerning Guinea-Bissau		As required	New York	15 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	As required
324.	Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 2127 (2013) concerning the Central African Republic	Security Council resolution 2127 (2013) concerning the Central African Republic		As required	New York	15 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	As required
325.	Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 2140 (2014)	Security Council resolution 2140 (2014)		As required	New York	15 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	As required
326.	Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 2206 (2015)	Security Council resolution 2206 (2015)		As required	New York	15 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	As required
327.	Security Council, Committee of Experts	Decision taken by the Security Council at its 1st meeting, 1946		As required	New York	15 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	As required

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328.	Security Council, Committee on Council Meetings away from Headquarters	Decision taken by the Security Council at its 1625th meeting		As required	New York	15 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	As required
329.	Security Council, Committee on the Admission of New Members	Decision taken by the Security Council at its 42nd meeting, 1946		As required	New York	15 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	As required
330.	Security Council, Governing Council of the United Nations Compensation Commission[b]	Security Council resolution 692 (1991)		As required	Geneva	15 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	As required
331.	Security Council Ad Hoc Working Group on Conflict Prevention and Resolution in Africa	S/2002/207		As required	New York	15 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	–	As required
332.	Security Council Working Group established pursuant to resolution 1566 (2004)	Security Council resolution 1566 (2004)		As required	New York	15 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	–	As required
333.	Security Council Working Group on Chil... and Armed Conflict	Security Council resolution 1612 (2005)		As required	New York	15 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	–	As required
334.	Security Council Working Group on Peacekeeping Operations	S/PRST/2001/3		As required	New York	15 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	–	As required
335.	Special Committee on Peacekeeping Operations and its Working Group	General Assembly resolution 2006 (XIX)		As required	New York	144 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	–	As required
336.	Trusteeship Council (and drafting committees)	Charter		As required	New York	5 G	I (CEFR)	T	PV[d]	As required
337.	UNCTAD, consultations of the Secretary-General and of the President of the Trade and Development Board	Trade and Development Board decision at its thirteenth executive session (8 July 1996) and General Assembly resolution 51/167		As required (up to 30 meetings)	Geneva		I (ACEFRS)	T	–	As required (up to 30 meetings)

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338.	UNCTAD, executive sessions of the Trade and Development Board	Trade and Development Board decision at its thirteenth executive session (8 July 1996) and General Assembly resolution 51/167		As required (up to 18 meetings)	Geneva	155 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	–	As required (up to 18 meetings)
339.	UNCTAD, other commodity conferences and commodity meetings	Trade and Development Board decision at its thirteenth executive session (8 July 1996) and General Assembly resolution 51/167		As required (up to 30 meetings)	Geneva	'	I (ACEFRS)	T	–	As required (up to 30 meetings)
340.	UNCTAD, seminars and study groups	Trade and Development Board decision at its thirteenth executive session (8 July 1996) and General Assembly resolution 51/167		As required (up to 20 meetings)	Geneva	'	I (ACEFRS)	T	–	As required (up to 20 meetings)
341.	UNICEF, Executive Board	General Assembly resolutions 57 (I) and 48/162	Briefings and informal consultations	As required	New York	36 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	–	As required
342.	United Nations Conciliation Commission for Palestine	General Assembly resolution 194 (III)		As required	New York	3 G	I (EF)	T	–	As required
343.	Committee on the Exercise of the Inalienable Rights of the Palestinian People	General Assembly resolutions 3376 (XXX), 32/40 B and 33/28	United Nations International Meeting on the Question of Palestine	To be determined (3 days)	To be determined	25 G	I (AEFS)	T	–	Four meetings held away from Headquarters per year
344.	Committee on the Exercise of the Inalienable Rights of the Palestinian People	General Assembly resolutions 3376 (XXX), 32/40 B and 33/28	United Nations International Meeting in Support of Israeli-Palestinian Peace	To be determined (3 days)	To be determined	25 G	I (AEFS)	T	–	Four meetings held away from Headquarters per year
345.	Committee on the Exercise of the Inalienable Rights of the Palestinian People	General Assembly resolutions 3376 (XXX), 32/40 B and 33/28	United Nations International Meeting on the Question of Palestine	To be determined (3 days)	To be determined	25 G	I (AEFS)	T	–	Four meetings held away from Headquarters per year

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346.	Committee on the Exercise of the Inalienable Rights of the Palestinian People	General Assembly resolutions 3376 (XXX), 32/40 B and 33/28	United Nations Seminar on Assistance to the Palestinian People	To be determined (3 days)	To be determined	25 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	–	Four meetings held away from Headquarters per year
347.	Committee on Non-Governmental Organizations	Economic and Social Council resolutions 3 (II) and 1296 (XLIV) and decisions 1995/304 and 1997/297	Organizational session	To be determined	New York	19 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	–	One session per year
348.	ECE, committees and working groups	Economic and Social Council resolution 36 (IV)		To be determined	Geneva	56 G	To be determined	T	–	Up to three sessions per week within the ECE entitlement
349.	General Assembly	General Assembly resolution 70/232	High-level event to mark the tenth anniversary of the adoption of the United Nations Declaration on the Rights of Indigenous Peoples[b]	To be determined	New York	193 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	–	
350.	High-level Open-ended Working Group on the Financial Situation of the United Nations[c]	General Assembly resolution 49/143		To be determined	New York	193 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	–	
351.	Informal Open-ended Working Group on an Agenda for Peace and/or its subgroups[d]	General Assembly resolution 47/120		To be determined	New York	193 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	–	
352.	UNCTAD, expert meetings	Part IV, section B, of the Accra Accord, adopted at the twelfth session of UNCTAD, held in Accra from 20 to 25 April 2008, and part I, section A, of the Doha Mandate, adopted at the thirteenth session of UNCTAD, held in Doha from 21 to 26 April 2012		To be determined	Geneva	To be determined	I (ACEFRS)	T	–	Up to eight meetings per year, three days each

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353.	UNITAR, Board of Trustees[b]	General Assembly resolutions 1934 (XVIII) and 47/227		To be determined (2-3 days)	Geneva	28 E	(AE RS)	T	–	One session per year
354.	United Nations Appeals Tribunal	General Assembly resolutions 61/261, 62/228, 63/253, 64/233 and 65/251		To be determined	New York/ Geneva/ Nairobi	To be determined	To be determined	T	–	
355.	United Nations Dispute Tribunal	General Assembly resolutions 61/261, 62/228, 63/253, 64/233 and 65/251		To be determined	New York/ Geneva/ Nairobi	To be determined	To be determined	T	–	As required
356.	UNU, Council	General Assembly resolution 3081 (XXVIII)	Sixty-fifth session	To be determined (1 week)	Tokyo	28 E	1 (EF)	T	–	One session per year

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[a] The languages in which interpretation will be provided are indicated. Languages in which translation and meeting records will be provided vary according to the rules of procedure applicable to the body concerned and, in the case of some working groups and similar bodies, according to the actual requirements when these are less than would be provided under the rules of procedure.

[b] Conference services are funded from outside the regular budget of the United Nations.

[c] Treaty body.

[d] In accordance with paragraph 30 of General Assembly resolution 68/268, a maximum of three official working languages for interpretation will be allocated for the work of the human rights treaty bodies, with the inclusion, on an exceptional basis, of a fourth official language, when necessary to facilitate communication among the members, as determined by the committee concerned, taking into account that these measures will not constitute a precedent, given the special nature of the treaty bodies, and without prejudice to the right of each State party to interact with the treaty bodies in any of the six official languages of the United Nations.

[e] Pursuant to paragraph 4 of General Assembly resolution 56/242, and as decided by the Assembly previously, United Nations intergovernmental bodies are requested to avoid holding meetings on Orthodox Good Friday, which in 2017 falls on 14 April.

[f] In accordance with paragraph (h) of decision 19/32 of the Governing Council of UNEP, the Committee of Permanent Representatives shall consist of the representatives of all States Members of the United Nations and members of the specialized agencies, and the European Union, accredited to UNEP, whether based in Nairobi or elsewhere.

[g] The United Nations Office at Nairobi prepares meeting reports (note-taking, compiling and editing) on behalf of the substantive secretariats of the meetings it services. These reports are substantive in nature and differ from other forms of meeting records prepared by the Secretariat.

[h] Meetings from 13 to 17 February, 6 to 17 March, 24 July and 28 to 30 August 2017 are entitled to conference services.

[i] For plenary meetings only.

[j] In accordance with resolution 19/1 of the Governing Council of UN-Habitat, the Committee of Permanent Representatives shall be open to all Permanent Representatives of States Members of the United Nations and members of the specialized agencies that are accredited to UN-Habitat.

[k] Pursuant to paragraph 6 of General Assembly resolution 69/250, United Nations bodies at Headquarters and other duty stations where the Day of Vesak is observed are invited to avoid holding meetings on the Day of Vesak, which in 2017 is expected to fall on 11 May.

[l] In accordance with the relevant oral statement of programme budget implications issued when the Committee of Experts on Global Geospatial Information Management was established in 2011, the Committee can hold its annual session in New York only during the "low activity" periods, i.e., either in early January or in August. If an annual session is held outside the "low activity" periods in New York, interpretation services can be provided only on an "as available" basis.

[m] The Group of Experts meets every other year. In years when a United Nations conference on the standardization of geographical names is held, it meets on dates immediately preceding the opening date of the conference and immediately following the closing date of the conference.

[n] Pursuant to paragraph 7 of General Assembly resolution 69/250, United Nations bodies at Headquarters and other duty stations where Diwali is observed are invited to avoid holding meetings on Diwali, which in 2017 falls on 19 October.

[o] Pursuant to paragraph 8 of General Assembly resolution 69/250, United Nations bodies at Headquarters and other duty stations where Gurpurab is observed are invited to avoid holding meetings on Gurpurab, which in 2017 is expected to fall on 21 November.

[p] Subject to the approval of the General Assembly.

[q] Verbatim records are provided for plenary meetings of the General Assembly and its First Committee.

[r] The forty-fifth session will be held outside the Headquarters premises with no conference services to be provided by the Department for General Assembly and Conference Management.

[s] Conference services will be provided from those allocated to the General Assembly.

[f] Open to the participation of all interested States members of UNCTAD (UNCTAD resolution 80 (III), para. 9).

[g] Pursuant to the request contained in operative paragraph 4 of General Assembly resolution 70/232, it is understood that all issues related to the high-level event, including its date, format, organization and scope, are yet to be determined. Accordingly, in the absence of modalities for the meeting, it is not possible at the present time to estimate the potential costs implications of the requirements for meetings and documentation. Upon the taking of a decision on the modalities, format and organization of the meeting, the Secretary-General will submit the relevant costs of such requirements in accordance with rule 153 of the rules of procedure of the General Assembly. Furthermore, the date of the meeting will have to be determined in consultation with the Department for General Assembly and Conference Management.

B. Bodies whose mandates are to be presented for renewal to the General Assembly at its seventy-first session

	Organ	*Mandate*	*Meeting title/ session number*	*Dates (2017)*	*Location*	*Membership*	*Servicing*[a]			*Periodicity*
1.	Ad Hoc Working Group on the Revitalization of the Work of the General Assembly[b]	General Assembly resolution 67/297		To be determined	New York	193 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	–	
2.	Open-ended Informal Consultative Process on Oceans and the Law of the Sea	General Assembly resolutions 54/33 and 69/245	Eighteenth meeting	To be determined	New York	193 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	–	One session per year (mandate extended until 2016)
3.	Open-ended Working Group on the Question of Equitable Representation on and Increase in the Membership of the Security Council and Other Matters Related to the Security Council[b]	General Assembly resolution 48/26 and decision 67/561		To be determined	New York	192 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	–	
4.	Special Committee to Investigate Israeli Practices Affecting the Human Rights of the Palestinian People and Other Arabs of the Occupied Territories	General Assembly resolutions 2443 (XXIII) and 68/80		To be determined	Geneva	3 G	I (AEF)	T	PV[c]	
5.	Special Committee on the Charter of the United Nations and on the Strengthening of the Role of the Organization	General Assembly resolutions 3349 (XXIX) and 68/115		To be determined	New York	192 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	–	
6.	Working Group on the Financing of the United Nations Relief and Works Agency for Palestine Refugees in the Near East	General Assembly resolution 2656 (XXV)		To be determined	New York	9 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	–	

[a] The languages in which interpretation will be provided are indicated. Languages in which translation and meeting records will be provided vary according to the rules of procedure applicable to the body concerned and, in the case of some working groups and similar bodies, according to the actual requirements when these are less than would be provided under the rules of procedure.

[b] Conference services will be provided from those allocated to the General Assembly.

[c] For oral hearings only.

C. Draft calendar of conferences and meetings of the principal organs of the specialized agencies, the International Atomic Energy Agency and treaty bodies established under the auspices of the United Nations, 2017

	Organ	*Meeting title/session number*	*Dates (2017)*	*Location*
1.	ICAO, Committee Phase	210th session	9-27 January	Montreal, Canada
2.	WHO, Executive Board	140th session	23 January-2 February	Geneva
3.	IFAD, Governing Council	Fortieth session	15-16 February	Rome
4.	International Seabed Authority Assembly	Legal and Technical Committee	20 February-3 March	Kingston
5.	Preparatory Commission for the Comprehensive Nuclear-Test-Ban Treaty Organization, Working Group B and informal/expert meetings	Forty-eighth session	20 February-3 March	Vienna
6.	ICAO, Council Phase	210th session	20 February-10 March	Montreal, Canada
7.	IAEA, Board of Governors		6-10 March	Vienna
8.	UPU, Postal Operations Council and Council of Administration		20 March-7 April	Bern
9.	ILO, Governing Body and its committees	329th session	March	Geneva
10.	Organization for the Prohibition of Chemical Weapons, Executive Council	Eighty-fourth session	March	The Hague
11.	IFAD, Executive Board	120th session	10-14 April	Rome
12.	FAO, Council	156th session	24-28 April	Rome
13.	ICAO, Committee Phase	211th session	24 April-12 May	Montreal, Canada
14.	Annual meetings of the Boards of Governors of the World Bank Group and IMF	Spring meetings	April	Washington, D.C.
15.	UNESCO, Executive Board	201st session	April	Paris
16.	Preparatory Commission for the Comprehensive Nuclear-Test-Ban Treaty Organization, Advisory Group	Forty-eighth session	2-5 May	Vienna
17.	IAEA, Programme and Budget Committee		8-12 May	Vienna
18.	UNIDO, Programme and Budget Committee	Thirty-third session	16-18 May (tentative)	Vienna
19.	ITU, Council		25 May-2 June	Geneva
20.	Preparatory Commission for the Comprehensive Nuclear-Test-Ban Treaty Organization, Working Group A and informal/expert meetings	Fifty-first session	29-31 May	Vienna
21.	UNWTO, Executive Council	105th session	May	To be determined
22.	WHO, Executive Board	141st session	May	Geneva
23.	WHO, World Health Assembly	Seventieth session	May	Geneva
24.	WMO, Executive Council	Sixty-ninth session	May/June	Geneva
25.	ILO, General Conference	106th session	5-17 June	Geneva

	Organ	Meeting title/session number	Dates (2017)	Location
26.	ICAO, Council Phase	211th session	5-23 June	Montreal, Canada
27.	IAEA, Board of Governors		12-16 June	Vienna
28.	ILO, Governing Body and its committees	330th session	17 June	Geneva
29.	Preparatory Commission for the Comprehensive Nuclear-Test-Ban Treaty Organization	Forty-eighth session	19-20 June	Vienna
30.	UNIDO, Industrial Development Board	Forty-fifth session	27-30 June (Tentative)	Vienna
31.	FAO, Conference	Fortieth session	3-8 July	Rome
32.	FAO, Council	157th session	10 July	Rome
33.	International Seabed Authority, Assembly	Twenty-third session	31 July-18 August (To be confirmed)	Kingston
34.	IMO, Council	118th session	July	London
35.	Organization for the Prohibition of Chemical Weapons, Executive Council	Eighty-fifth session	July	The Hague
36.	Preparatory Commission for the Comprehensive Nuclear-Test-Ban Treaty Organization, Working Group B and informal/expert meetings	Forty-ninth session	28 August-8 September	Vienna
37.	UNWTO, General Assembly	Twenty-first session	August	To be determined
38.	IAEA, Board of Governors		11-15 September	Vienna
39.	IFAD, Executive Board	121st session	11-15 September	Rome
40.	IAEA, General Conference		18-22 September	Vienna
41.	ICAO, Committee Phase	212th session	18 September-6 October	Montreal, Canada
42.	IAEA, Board of Governors		25 September	Vienna
43.	WIPO, Assemblies of Member States		September/October	Geneva
44.	Preparatory Commission for the Comprehensive Nuclear-Test-Ban Treaty Organization, Advisory Group	Forty-ninth session	2-5 October	Vienna
45.	UPU, Council of Administration		9-27 October	Bern
46.	Preparatory Commission for the Comprehensive Nuclear-Test-Ban Treaty Organization, Working Group A and informal/expert meetings	Fifty-second session	16-18 October	Vienna
47.	ILO, Governing Body and its committees	331st session	26 October-9 November	Geneva
48.	ICAO, Council	212th session	30 October-17 November	Montreal, Canada
49.	Annual meetings of the Boards of Governors of the World Bank Group and IMF	Fall meetings	October	Washington, D.C.
50.	Organization for the Prohibition of Chemical Weapons, Executive Council	Eighty-sixth session	October	The Hague
51.	UNESCO, Executive Board	202nd session	October	Paris
52.	UNWTO, Executive Council		October/November	To be determined
53.	UNWTO, Executive Council		October/November	To be determined

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54.	Preparatory Commission for the Comprehensive Nuclear-Test-Ban Treaty Organization	Forty-ninth session	6-8 November	Vienna
55.	IAEA, Board of Governors, Technical Assistance and Cooperation Committee		20-22 November	Vienna
56.	IAEA, Board of Governors		23-24 November	Vienna
57.	Conference of the States Parties to the Convention on the Prohibition of Chemical Weapons	Twenty-second session	27 November-1 December	The Hague
58.	UNIDO, General Conference	Seventeenth session	27 November-1 December	Vienna
59.	IMO, Assembly	Thirtieth session	November	London
60.	IMO, Council	119th session	November	London
61.	UNESCO, Executive Board	203rd session	November	Paris
62.	UNESCO, General Conference	Thirty-ninth session	November	Paris
63.	FAO, Council	158th session	4-8 December	Rome
64.	IFAD, Executive Board	122nd session	11-15 December	Rome
65.	Assembly of States Parties to the Rome Statute of the International Criminal Court		To be determined	The Hague
66.	Assembly of States Parties to the Rome Statute of the International Criminal Court, Budget and Finance Committee		To be determined	The Hague
67.	Conference on Facilitating the Entry into Force of the Comprehensive Nuclear-Test-Ban Treaty		To be determined	Vienna/New York